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ROOSEVELT'S MESSAGE.

A Summary of this Important Document.

SENATOR P. C. KNOX

Sworn In as Senator From Pennsylvania —Also Senator Crane of Massachusetts.

THE LAST SESSION OF 58th CONGRESS

Washington. D. C. Dec. 7.—The chief event of the day in Congress was the reading of President Roosevelt's annual message. The reading was begun in both houses immediately after the usual preliminaries were completed.

Immediately upon reconvening, Mr. Barnes, assistant secretary to the President, appeared in the centre aisle and announced that he was directed by the President to submit to the House a message in writing. The clerk at once began reading the President's annual message to Congress.

SENATOR KNOX SWORN IN.

Immediately after the convening of the Senate Senators Allison and Cockrell, constituting the committee to wait on the President appeared in the centre aisle of the Senate and made their report, Mr. Allison acting as spokesman. He made the usual recital of the committee's call upon the President, with the information that the Senate was sitting and ready to enter upon the work of the session, adding that the President had expressed his intention to immediately communicate with the Senate through a message in writing.

Before the message arrived Mr. Penrose and Mr. Lodge presented the credentials of Messrs. Knox and Crane, the newly appointed Senators from Pennsylvania and Massachusetts, respectively, and the oath of office was administered to them.

Mr. Crane was escorted to the seat of the presiding officer by Mr. Lodge, and Mr. Knox by Mr. Penrose and the oath of office was administered by President pro tem. Frye. After signing the senatorial roll of membership the new Senators were escorted to their seats on the extreme right of the chamber. There they held an impromptu reception for a few moments and until the reading of the President's message began.

The message was delivered to the Senate by Mr. Barnes, assistant secretary to the President, and its reading immediately begun. The Senators were all supplied with copies of the message in print and most of them closely followed the reading clerks as they proceeded.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

President Roosevelt's message makes these recommendations:

Vigilence to prevent unnecessary increase of the ordinary expenses of government.

A stringent employer's liability law.

Medals of honor for conspicuous bravery in the saving of life in the private employments,

Legislation for the prevention of clearly avoidable railroad accidents.

Legislation against the banding together of Government employes to defeat Congressmen who refuse to make promizes of higher wages.

Investigation of labor conditions in the various States, especially with regard to child labor.

Elimination by the Federal Government of abuses in great corporations.

Rebate by shippers or railroads must be stopped. The Interstate Commission should be clothed with power to revise rates.

Legislation for the moral improvement of the city of Washington,

Corporal punishment for wife-beaters.

No question is of so vital importance as that of shaping conditions so that the duties of man, as the bread-winner and woman, the mother and housewife, can be fulfilled under reasonably favorable circumstances.

An annual census of the live stock of the nation.

Concentration in the Department of Agriculture of all the forest work of the Government.

Setting aside of certain portions of forest reserves as game refuges for the preservation of animals now tending towards extinction.

Extension of the National Bank system.

Closer relationship between the Indian Bureau at Washington and its agents in the field.

Grading and transfer of consular officers and substitution for salaries and fees.

A proper national quarantine law.

A decrease of at least one-half in the volume of public printing.

Betterment of the currency system.

Appropriate legislation for the betterment of the merchant marine.

Investigation and application of methods of increasing trade relations with the Orient.

Vigilance in keeping out undesirable immigrants.

Revision of naturalization laws to prevent fraud.

Betterment of laws relating to citizenship.

Enactment of a law directed against bribery and corruption in Federal elections.

Legislation that will eliminate delay in the criminal prosecution of defenders against the Republic.

General improvement of the Government of Alaska and consideration of the needs of the people thereof.

The keeping in mind, by Congress, of the fundamental fact that it is possible to treat our foreign policy save as condition, and upon the attitude they are willing to take toward our Army and especially toward our Navy.

Insistence upon the recognition of the rights of our citizens abroad without regard to their creed or race.

Upbuilding of the American navy, and especially of the construction of battleships.

Keeping at a high grade of proficiency the American army.

Advancement of the Filipinos, development of the Philippines and lower tariff rates upon exports from the archipelago to the United States.

A YOUNG WIFE'S DEATH.

Mrs. Charles Haines Dies of Typhoid Pneumonia at Beaver Falls.

A very sad death occurred at Beaver Falls on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock when Maize, wife of Charles Haines, formerly of Bellefonte, died at her home in that city of typhoid pneumonia after an illness of only one week's duration.

The deceased was born in Bellefonte Sept. 17, 1878, making her age 26 years, 2 months and 13 days and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Keeler. She was married about three years ago to Mr. Charles Haines, an employe of the Standard scale works and when the works moved to Beaver Falls the family located there.

Mrs. Haines is survived by her husband and two small children, Margaret and Charles, and her father, Wallace Keeler, and the following brothers and one sister: John, William, George and Mrs. Newton Haupt, of Bellefonte, and Harry, of Beaver Falls.

The remains were brought to Bellefonte Thursday at 8.16 and the funeral took place from the residence of David Haines on South Thomas street Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

The services were in charge of Rev. J. A. Wood, Jr., of the Methodist church, assisted by Rev. A. Davidson of the United Brethren church.

The casket bearers were Messrs. Geo. Jodon, C. D. Young, John Love, Chas. Keichline, Wm. Hill. Interment in the Union cemetery.

Behres—Decker.

Mr. Harry Behres and Miss Edith Decker, two popular young people of State College, thought to steal a march on their friends and Thursday evening drove to Pine Grove Mills where they were quietly married at the Lutheran parsonage by the Rev. C. T. Aiken. The The attendants were Mr. Luther Fye and Miss Florence Hoy. Following the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. William Glenn, just east of Pine Grove. This paper joins with their many friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Behres a happy journey through life.

Law Firm Dissolved.

The copartnership existing between D. F. Fortney and W. Harrison Walker, under the firm name of Fortney & Walker, attorneys-at-law, has been mutually dissolved. Mr. Walker preferring to continue the practice of his profession alone. For the present he has retained office room in the old office of Fortney & Walker but expects ere long to locate in an office by himself in some convenient room.

Found Dead In Bed.

Rebecca C., wife of Tobias Green, of Milesburg, was found dead in bed Tuesday morning at her home in that place. Death was due to heart failure. Mrs. Green went to bed Monday night apparently as well as usual and her sudden demise was a great shock to her family and friends.

She was 59 years of age and is survived by her husband and five children, three boys and two girls.

Latest In The Chadwick Case.

Husband Will Pay Mrs. Chadwick's Claims.

A CABLE MESSAGE

Received by a New York Lawyer to That Effect—Oberlin Bank Officials Held In $10,000 Bail.

DEVELOPMENTS IN FAMOUS CASE.

New York, Dec. 6.—Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, the husband of Mrs. Chadwick, has cabled a lawyer in New York telling him to call upon him for any settlement that may be needed for the pressing claims against his wife.

The name of the lawyer is as yet a secret, but the authority for the statement that he has appeared upon the scene is Lawyer George Ryall, of local counsel for Herbert D. Newton, of Brookline. Mr. Ryall said:

"I have been in communication today with a lawyer whose name I am not at liberty to reveal now who gave me to understand that he had been retained by Dr. Chadwick by cable to look after Mrs. Chadwick's interests. This lawyer told me that he was empowered by Dr. Chadwick to call upon him for moneys needed to settle any immediate pressing claims against his wife.

"I do not know whether our claims (meaning Newton's for $190,800) is considered pressing or not, but this I do say, that I am as confident now as I have been that our claim will be settled by Mrs. Chadwick in full despite all or any proceedings that may be brought against Mrs. Chadwick. I am not worrying in the slightest degree about Newton's claim. It will be settled within a very few days."

Cleveland, Dec. 6.—There were numerous new angles developed today in connection with the affairs of Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick and the troubles of the closed Citizen's National Bank, of Oberlin, Ohio. President C. T. Beckwith and Cashier Frank Spear, of the latter institution, were brought here from Oberlin by United States Marshal Chandler and later arraigned before United States Commissioner Starek. Both pleaded not guilty, and waived a preliminary hearing. Commissioner Starek fixed the bail at $10.000 in each case, and bound the two men over to the Grand Jury, which meets in February next. Spear was shortly afterward released on a bond signed by M. A. Lander, ex-county treasurer. Late Monday evening President Beckwith secured bondsmen in the persons of J. G. W. Cowles, A. J. Gilchrist and Geo. A. Collings, and the aged banker was given his freedom.

HAD THE CARNEGIE NOTES

That the Oberlin bank, or President Beckwith, really possessed notes for $250,000 and $500.000 respectively, with the name of Andrew Carnegie signed thereto, is now known as a definite fact. Whether these notes are forgeries is yet to be shown. This is stated on the authority of United States District Attorney Sullivan and a very prominent banker of Cleveland. District Attorney Sullivan declared Monday that he had the note for $250,000 with Mr. Carnegie's signature in his possession, and that it bore the name of Andrew Carnegie, and was endorsed by C. L. Chadwick.

A widely known banker, who requested that his name be not used, stated positively that he had seen the $500,000 note signed "Andrew Carnegie." This banker said he was not familiar enough with Mr. Carnegie's signature to state positively whether the signature was genuine or a forgery.

TIES UP THE CHADWICK PROPERTY.

Receiver Nathan Loeser filed his bond today, thus making him the legal custodian of all property owned by Mrs. Chadwick.

It is stated that the approval of Mr. Loeser's bond ties up absolutely all of Mrs. Chadwick's property, and not a dollar of her debts can be paid out of the proceeds of her estate. All creditors, it is said, must share alike. This is supposed to apply to the Newton claims, if there is an attempt to pay it out of any money that may be due to the estate.

Emil Chadwick, son of Mrs. C. L. Chadwick, arrived here from New York today and at once went to his mother's home at the corner of Euclid and Genesee avenues. The young man was deeply depressed. He refused to talk for publication

MAN BLOWN UP.

Clair Kessinger Receives Fatal Injuries at the Stevens' Quarry of the American Lime Company.

Clair Kessinger, an employee of the American Lime & Stone company, at the Stevens quarry, in Buffalo run valley, met with a frightful accident Friday morning about eleven o'clock which resulted in his death Wednesday morning at 2:30 o'clock at Bellefonte Hospital.

Kessinger was employed in the stone quarry and was at work springing a hole preparatory to setting off a blast. He was using what is called a tamping pole, a long piece of iron, like a crow bar, and had first put down a stick of dynamite in the hole, when suddenly there was an explosion and Kessinger was hurled high in the air, coming down in the stone quarry 25 feet from where the accident happened.

His fellow workmen hastened to his side and he was tenderly carried to the company's boarding house near by. Dr. M. J. Locke and Dr. M. A. Kirk were called in attendance. An examination showed that a large piece of the iron bar was sticking in his body near the chest. His left hand was terribly lacerated, his right arm broken at the wrist and his right hand crushed.

A further examination showed that about six inches of the iron bar had penetrated the groin and that one lung was punctured.

Just how the dynamite happened to explode will probably never be known. Kessinger was evidently standing over the hole when the explosion occurred and the iron bar struck him with terrific force, penetrating his body.

Clair E. Kessinger was born at Salona, Clinton county, December 24, 1880, and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kessinger of that place. He was married to Miss Florence Krape, daughter of Benjamin and Mary C. Krape, of Salona, and she survives him with their three children: Richard, Annabel, and Elnora. He is also survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kessinger, a brother, Torrence E., and two sisters, Edith and Elnora, all of Salona.

His remains were taken Wednesday to the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Krape at Salona, where the funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in the Cedar Hill cemetery.

BOY RUN OVER!

Sad Accident Which Resulted in the Death of a Little Milesburg Boy.

A very sad accident occurred at Milesburg Tuesday afternoon which resulted in the death of Lloyd McKinley, a little grandson of James McKinley, of the burg. The little fellow was on his way home from school and seeing John Slacker driving past in a two-horse wagon, with a load of sand on, boy like, he climbed on behind. In the meantime he hung his dinner bucket on the crosspiece under the wagon. When he got off, he ran under the wagon to get his pail, but the wagon had not stopped yet and the boy was caught and dragged for some distance.

He was not run over by the wagon and the driver stopped as soon as he saw the boys predicament. No blame can be attached to the driver.

The boy was brought to the Bellefonte Hospital but his injuries were so serious that he died Thursday morning at 11.15. The remains were taken to his grandfather's home in Milesburg where the funeral services were held Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. He was aged 5 years and 10 months.

Helen Heckman.

Death entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Heckman, west of Centre Hall, Monday afternoon Nov. 28, and claimed the youngest of three children, Helen Margaret, aged two years and nine months. Death came after an illness from peritonitis covering a period of several weeks.

Interment took place at Centre Hall Thursday morning, Rev. J. M. Rearick, of the Lutheran church officiating.

A Slight Fire.

Saturday morning about 6 o'clock the house occupied by Benjamin Gordon, in the rear of C. M. Parrish's drug store, caught fire from a defective flue. The alarm was turned in and the Logan and Undine fire companies responded, but by the time they reached the scene the fire was out, the damage being very slight. The house is owned by Charles Eckenroth and is insured in the agency of Frederick K. Foster.

METRE HILL WAS COSTLY

Japs Suffer Terrible Losses in Storming Russian Positions.

HILL WAS TAKEN ONLY

After Stubborn Resistance---Six Russian Counter Attacks Repulsed With Severe Losses.

ATTACKS MADE WITH BAYONETS.

Tokio. Dec. 5.—The diary of the fighting around 203 Metre Hill, which is published in the Japanese papers, describes the terrible losses involved in the storming of the Russian position from dawn of November 28 till 1 o'clock in the forenoon of that day. A Russian counter-attack began at dawn on November 29 and was so furiously pushed that the Japanese were compelled to retire from both sides of the hill into the valley. The attack was renewed the morning of November 30, "when all the Japanese came up" from the southwestern corner, but these assailants only advanced thirty metres by 5 o'clock, so stubborn was the resistance, and the Japanese suffered severe losses.

Then, being reinforced, the Japanese maintained the struggle with terrible earnestness. Furious charges were repeatedly made and the Russians were compelled gradually to retire. The southwestern summit of the hill was not occupied until 7 o'clock in the evening and the northwestern summit not until 8 o'clock. During the night six Russian counter-attacks were repulsed. One which was launched at 4 o'clock in the morning, was characterized by several [illegible] persisted in until 1st, when the hopeless[illegible]pts becoming evident, the Russians retired.

RED CROSS WAREHOUSE BURNED.

Mukden, Dec. 5.—General Grippenberg has arrived here and will remain here a few days. A large ware house of the Red Cross society here has burned, entailing a great loss of supplies.

An entertainment given by the patriotic league at a theatre there realized a large sum for the benefit of soldiers at the front.

Chinese report that four divisions of Japanese re-inforcements have arrived. The men, it is said, are mostly undersized.

REPORT NOT CONFIRMED.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 5.—2 A. M.—Neither the admirality nor the war office is able to confirm the report from Chefoo that the Japanese have been unable to hold 203 Metre Hill, but this news is quite in accordance with expectations. Experts here are convinced that the capture of 203 Metre Hill will be of no advantage to the Japanese unless they can gain possession of the neighboring forts.

Cashier Elected.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the First National Bank of State College, held last week, Mr. David F. Kapp, superintendent of Mines at Scotia, was unanimously chosen to be cashier of the bank.

Mr. Kapp comes highly recommended and gives promise of a successful career in his new position. He is a man in whom great confidence can be reposed and has a pleasing disposition with all who approach him. He is thirty-nine years old and has devoted much time to the study of finance. He brings with him to State College his wife and two children and this paper wishes them a pleasant experience in their new home.

The new manganese steel safe which cost $1,600 has been placed in the temporary banking room that is being fitted up in Miss S. S. Hunter's residence. The safe weighs four and one half tons and is the latest improvement in burglar proof safes. It was awarded the grand prize at the World's Fair in St. Louis.

Were Found Out.

Joseph Ruthkowski, alias Jadi Viga, and Mrs. Ruth Tuthkowski, alias Mrs. Jadi Viga, alias Mary Finn, were brought to this city Friday afternoon from Tyrone and locked up at the police station on the charge of working a confidence game. The plan was for the woman to visit clergymen and telling a story that her husband had died and she desired their services in burying him. The game was worked in this city by the going to Undertaker Lafferty and engaged him to bury her husband, Jadi Viga, who she claimed had died in Pittsburg. She visited Father Dugan, at St. John's rectory, told her story and secured $3. In police court Saturday evening they were ordered photographed and measured for the Bertillion gallery and further sentence was suspended until Saturday. They were sentenced to thirty days each for working the game at Tyrone.—Altoona Tribune.

AN OLD LAND MARK GOING.

Pennsylvana Round House Being Torn Down--To be Replaced by a New One.

A gang of workman are busily engaged tearing down the old round house of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., at this place which is a sort of an old land mark of the town having been erected about thirty years ago. The old brick building has seen the town of Bellefonte grow from a small village to quite a thriving town. It has housed the engines of the Bellefonte & Snow Shoe, the Bald Eagle Valley and later the Lewisburg & Tyrone divisions of the Pennsylvania railroad.

During the great Centennial flood of 1876 when the lower portion of Bellefonte was under water the old round house became a place of shelter for quite a number of families living in that section of the town. Men with boats rescued the people from their houses and conveyed them safely to the round house where they remained until the waters abated.

Several times engines have plunged through its brick walls and it has been repaired time and again. Now however, the work of demolition has commenced and it will be replaced by a new and larger engine house, 35 feet wide by 70 feet long.

The rumor to the effect that the engine house was to be done away at this place and the engines were to be kept at Tyrone and Sunbury is we are glad to say without foundation.

BOATED ENGINE AND RAILS.

Brought Snow Shoe Railroad Outfit From Williamsport to Milesburg.

Ira C. Knoll, formerly of Howard, but now of Marietta, Pa., was a visitor among friends throughout Centre Co., during the past several weeks, during which time he spent a week in the Alleghenies as a member of Robert Mann's hunting party, and brought down a fine doe, a number of pheasants and other small game. Among his Curtin township friends whom he visited while here was comrade, Hon. John A. Daley.

Mr. Knoll was born in Curtin Twp., and Knoll's school house is named after this family's name. In his younger days he was a boatman on the Bald Eagle canal and it was he who brought in a canal boat all the iron, rails and even the first locomotive used on the Snow Shoe railroad, although pretty well on towards 70 years old, Mr. Knoll is in good health and as active as though he were several score younger.

Death of Former Bellefonter.

James H. McQuillan, of 834 First St., Williamsport, who suffered a stroke of paralysis Monday, 28th, while working at the Darling Pump Works, died at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon, never having regained consciousness. The deceased is 51 years old and is survived by a wife and the following children: Mary, Charles, Maud, Edward, Claude, Luin, James and Fred. The funeral occurred from his late home Tuesday afternoon. The deceased was a former Bellefonter and he leaves his aged mother, Mrs. Catherine McQuillan, of Burrow street, and sister, Miss Kate, both residents of this place.

Will Establish a Laboratory.

The State will establish a laboratory at Harrisburg for the analysis of food samples secured by the Pure Food Department. The fourth floor of the Wyeth building has been secured by Superintendent Shumaker, and Prof. Cochran, the state chemist, will install the necessary apparatus. At present all food samples are sent to West Chester or State College for analysis.

MARRIED.—Samuel A. Miller and Miss Mary E. Stine, both of Bellefonte, were united in marriage Thursday evening at 6 o'clock at the Evangelical parsonage on Willowbank street. Rev. W. B. Cox performed the ceremony. The groom is a son of Charles Miller, the cigar dealer.

The Filigree Ball

By ANNA KATHARINE GREEN,

Author of "The Mystery of Agatha Webb," "Lost Man's Lane," Etc.

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grasp its full meaning from the few sentences I did pick out. And that meaning! It was horrible, inconceivable. Murder was taught, but murder from a distance, and by an act too simple to awake revulsion. A step into the empty closet yawning so near, an effort with a drawer, a—a— Do not ask me to recall it. I did not shudder when the moment came and I stood there. Then I was cold as marble. Yet I shall surely take my life before you see me again, and in that old house. If it is despair I feel, then despair will take me there. If it is repentance, then repentance will suffice to drive me to the one expiation possible to me—to perish where I caused an innocent man to perish and so relieve you of a wife who was never worthy of you and whom it would be your duty to denounce if she let another sun rise upon her guilt.

"A message was shouted through the door—the message for which my ears had been strained in dreadful anticipation for the last two hours. A man named Pfeiffer wanted to see me before I went down to be married—a man named Pfeiffer!

"I looked closely at the boy who delivered this message. He showed no excitement nor any feeling greater than impatience at being kept waiting a minute or so at the door. Then I glanced beyond him at the people chatting in the hall. No alarm there; nothing but a very natural surprise that the bride should keep so big a crowd waiting. I felt that this fixed the event. He who had sent me this quiet message was true to himself and to our old compact. He had not published below what would have set the house in an uproar in a moment. He had left his secret to be breathed into my ear alone. I could recall the moment he passed me his word and his firm look as he said, with his hand lifted to heaven: 'You have been good to me and given me your precious self while I was poor and a nobody. In return I swear to keep our marriage a secret till great success shows me to be worthy of you or till you with your own lips express forgiveness of my failure and grant me leave to speak. Nothing but death or your permission shall ever unseal my lips.' When I heard that he was dead I feared lest he might have spoken, but now that I had seen him alive I knew that in no other breast save his, my own and that of the unknown minister in an almost unknown town dwelt any knowledge of the fact which stood between me and the marriage which all these people had come here to see. My confidence in his rectitude determined me. Without conscious emotion, without fear even—the ending of suspense had ended all that—I told the boy to seat the gentleman in the library. Then—

"To turn and turn a miserable crank after those moments of frenzied action and silence—that was the hard part—that was what tried my nerve and first robbed me of calmness. But I dared not leave that fearful thing dangling there; I had to wind. The machinery squeaked, and its noise seemed to fill the house, but no one came nor did the door below open. Sometimes I have wished that it had. I should not then have been lured on, and you would not have become involved in my ruin.

"I am afraid to die, but I am more afraid of failing in courage. I shall have the pistol tied to me; this will make it seem inevitable to use it. Oh, that the next twenty-four hours could be blotted out of time! Such horror cannot be. I was born for joy and gayety, yet no dismal depth of misery and fear has been spared me! But all on account of my own act. I do not accuse God; I do not accuse man; I only accuse myself and my thoughtless grasping after pleasure.

"I want Cora to read this as well as you. She must know me dead as she never knew me living. But I cannot tell her that I have left a confession behind me. She must come upon it unexpectedly, just as I mean you to do. Only thus can it reach either of you with any power. If I could but think of some excuse for sending her to the book where I propose to hide it! That would give her a chance of reading it before you do, and this would be best. She may know how to prepare or comfort you—I hope so. Cora is a noble woman, but the secret which kept my thoughts in such a whirl has held us apart.

"You did what I asked. You found a place for Raucher's waiter in the volunteer corps. Surprised as you were at the interest I expressed in him, you honored my first request and said nothing. Would you have shown the same anxious eagerness if you had known why I whispered those few words to him from the carriage door, why I could neither rest nor sleep till he and the other boy were safely out of town?

"I must leave a line for you to show to people if they wonder why I killed myself so soon after my seemingly happy marriage. You will find it in the same book with this letter. Some one will tell you to look in the book—I cannot write any more.

"I cannot help writing. It is all that connects me now with life and with you. But I have nothing more to say except forgive—forgive—

"Do you think that God looks at his wretched ones differently from what men do? That he will have tenderness for one so sorry—that he will even find place— But my mother is there, my father! Oh, that makes it fearful to go—to meet—but it was my father who led me into this—only he did not know— There! I will think only of God.

"Goodby—goodby—good"—

That was all. It ended, as it began, without name and without date—the final heart throbs of a soul awakened to its own act when it was quite too late, a piteous memorial which daunted each one of us as we read it, and when finished drew us all together in the hall out of the sight and hearing of the two persons most intimately concerned in it.

Possibly because all had one thought—a thrilling one, which the major was the first to give utterance to:

"The man she killed was buried under the name of Wallace. How's that, if he was her husband, William?"

An officer we had not before noted was standing near the front door. He came forward at this and placed a second telegram in the superintendent's hand. It was from the same source as the one previously received and appeared to settle this very question.

"I have just learned that the man married was not the one who kept store in Owosso, but his brother William, who afterward died in Klondike. It is Wallace whose death you are investigating."

"What snarl is here?" asked the major.

"I think I understand," I ventured to put in. "Her husband was the one left on the road by the brother who staggered into camp for aid. He was a weak man—the weaker of the two, she said—and probably died, while Wallace, after seemingly collapsing, recovered. This last she did not know, having failed to read the whole of the newspaper slip which told about it, and so when she saw some one with the Pfeiffer air and figure and was told later that a Mr. Pfeiffer was waiting to see her she took it for granted that it was her husband, believing positively [illegible] to 1:00 noon of December [illegible] to loo[illegible] noon of the stem[illegible] that years elapsed."

"A possible explanation which adds greatly to the tragic aspects of the situation. She was probably a widow when she touched the fatal spring. Who will tell the man inside there? It will be his crowning blow."

CHAPTER XXVI.

ON the evening of the day which saw our first recognition of this crime as the work of Veronica Moore the following notice appeared in the Star and all the other local journals:

"Any person who positively remembers passing through Waverley avenue between N and M streets on the evening of May 11 at or near the hour of a quarter past 7 will confer a favor on the detective force of the District by communicating the same to F, at the police headquarters in C street."

I was "F.," and I was soon deep in business. But I was readily able to identify those who came from curiosity, and as the persons who had really fulfilled the conditions expressed in my advertisement were few an evening and morning's work sufficed to sift the whole matter down to the one man who could tell me just what I wanted to know. With this man I went to the major, and as a result we all met later in the day at Mr. Moore's door.

This gentleman looked startled enough when he saw the number and character of his visitors, but his grand air did not forsake him, and his welcome was both dignified and cordial. But I did not like the way his eye rested on me.

But the slight venom visible in it at that moment was nothing to what he afterward displayed when at a slight growl from Rudge, who stood in an attitude of offense in the doorway beyond, I drew the attention of all to the dog by saying sharply:

"There is our witness, sirs. There is the dog who will not cross the street even when his master calls him, but crouches on the edge of the curb and waits with eager eyes but immovable body till that master comes back. Isn't that so, Mr. Moore? Have I not heard you utter more than one complaint in this regard?"

"I cannot deny it," was the stiff reply, "but what"—

I did not wait for him to finish.

"Mr. Curran," I asked, "is this the animal you passed between the hours of 7 and 8 on the evening of May 11, crouching in front of this house with his nose to the curbstone?"

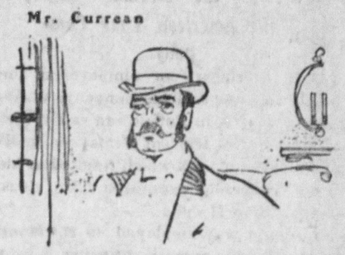
"It is; I noted him particularly; he seemed to be watching the opposite house."

Instantly I turned upon Mr. Moore.

"Is Rudge the dog to do that," I asked, "if his master were not there? Twice have I myself seen him in the selfsame place and with the selfsame air of expectant attention, and both times you had crossed to the house which you acknowledge he will approach no nearer than the curb on this side of the street."

"You have me," was the short reply with which Mr. Moore gave up the

Mr. Curran



struggle. "Rudge, go back to your place. When you are wanted in the courtroom I will let you know."

The smile with which he said this was sarcastic enough, but it was sarcasm directed mainly against himself. We were not surprised when, after some sharp persuasion on the part of the major, he launched into the following recital of his secret relation to what he called the last tragedy ever likely to occur in the Moore family.

"I never thought it wrong to be curious about the old place; I never thought it wrong to be curious about its mysteries. I only considered it wrong, or at all events ill judged, to annoy Veronica in regard to them, or to trouble her in any way about the means by which I might effect an entrance into its walls. So I took the one that offered and said nothing.

"I have visited the old house many times during my sojourn in this little cottage. The last time was, as one of your number has so ably discovered, tending the library hearthstone reached its culmination when I perceived one night the glint of a candle burning in the southwest chamber. I did not know who was responsible for this light, but I strongly suspected it to be Mr. Jeffrey, for who else would dare to light a candle in this disused house without first seeing that all the shutters were fast?

"I did not dislike Mr. Jeffrey or question his right to do this. Nevertheless I was very angry. Though allied to a Moore, he was not one himself, and the difference in our privileges affected me strongly; consequently I watched till he came out and upon positively recognizing his figure vowed in my wrath and jealous indignation to visit the old house myself on the following night and make one final attempt to learn the secret which would again make me feel myself the equal of this man, if not his superior.

Uncle David gives up

"It was early when I went; indeed it was not quite dark, but, knowing the gloom of those old halls and the almost impenetrable nature of the darkness which settles over the library the moment the twilight sets in, I put in my pocket two or three candles, the candles, sirs, about which you have made such a coil. My errand was twofold—I wanted first to see what Mr. Jeffrey had been up to the night before and next to spend an hour over a certain book of old memoirs which in recalling the past might explain the present. You remember a door leading into the library from the rear room. It was by this door I entered, bringing with me from the kitchen the chair you afterward found there.

"I knew where the volume of memoirs I speak of was to be found—you do, too, I see—for it was my hand which had placed it in its present concealment. Quite determined to reread such portions of it as I had long before marked as pertinent to the very attempt I had in mind, I brought in the candelabrum from the parlor and drew out a table to hold it. But I waited a few moments before taking down the book itself. I wanted first to learn what Mr. Jeffrey had been doing upstairs the night before; so, leaving the light burning in the library, I proceeded to the southwest chamber, holding an unlit candle in my hand, the light feebly diffused through the halls from some upper windows being sufficient for me to see my way. But in the chamber itself all was dark.

"The wind had not yet risen and the shutter which a half hour later moved so restlessly on its creaking hinges hugged the window so tightly that I imagined Mr. Jeffrey had fastened it the night before. Looking for some receptacle in which to set the candle I now lit, I failed to find anything but an empty tumbler, so I made use of that. Then I glanced about me, but seeing nothing worth my attention—Mrs. Jeffrey's wedding fixings did not interest me, and everything else about the room looking natural except the overturned chair, which struck me as immaterial—I hurried downstairs again, leaving the candle burning behind me in case I should wish to return aloft

(To be continued.)

Impaired Digestion

May not be all that is meant by *dyspepsia* now, but it will be if neglected.

The uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, sourness of the stomach, and disagreeable belching may not be very bad now, but they will be if the stomach is suffered to grow weaker.

Dyspepsia is such a miserable disease that the tendency to it should be given early attention. This is completely overcome by

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which strengthens the whole digestive system

Pennsylvania Railroad's Winter Excursion Route Book.

In pursuance of its annual custom, the Passenger Department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has just issued an attractive and comprehensive book descriptive of the leading Winter resorts of the East and South, and giving the rates and various routes and combinations of routes of travel. Like all the publications of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, this "Winter Excursion Book" is a model of typographical and pictorial work. It is bound in a handsome and artistic cover in colors, and contains much valuable information for Winter tourists and travelers in general. It can be had free of charge at the principal ticket offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company or will be sent postpaid upon application to Geo. W. Boyd, General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

Pennsylvania Railroad Company Will Issue Clerical Orders for 1905.

Pursuant to its usual custom, the Pennsylvania Railroad company will issue clerical orders for the year 1905 to ordained clergymen having regular charge as settled pastors of churches located on or near its lines. Clergymen desiring such orders should make individual application for same on blanks furnished by the company and which can now be obtained from the Ticket Agents. Applications should be sent to the General Office of the company as soon as possible, in no case later than December 15th, so that orders may be mailed by December 30th, to all clergymen entitled to receive them.

A Good Christmas Gift.

The New York World offers its Thrice-a-Week edition one year, Harper's Bazar one year and the Cosmopolitan Magazine one year, all for $1.60. This is an unusual offer and affords opportunity for making a substantial Christmas gift at slight cost. Address The World, P. O. Box 1703, New York. N. Y.

Attracting Much Attention.

The New York World's offer of the Thrice-a-Week World, the Cosmopolitan Magazine and Harper's Bazar, each one year, for $1.60 has attracted a great deal of attention and hundreds in this section have availed themselves of this offer. It will soon be withdrawn. *,*

—Don't be imposed upon by taking substitutes offered for Foley's Honey and Tar. For sale by C. M. Parrish.

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Special Representatives in this county and adjoining territories to represent and advertise an old established business house of solid financial standing. Salary $21 weekly with expenses, paid each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Expenses advanced; position permanent. We furnish everything. Address, The Columbia, 630 Monon Building, Chicago, Ill. d-8t-24

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Few people realize when taking cough medicines other than Foley's Honey and Tar, that they contain opiates which are constipating besides being unsafe, particularly for children. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates, is safe and sure and will not constipate. For sale by C. M. Parrish.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

Green's Pharmacy.

J. B. Taylor, a prominent merchant of Chriesman, Texas, says: "I could not eat because of a weak stomach. I lost all strength and ran down in weight. All that money could do was done, but all hope of recovery vanished. Hearing of some wonderful cures effected by use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Green's Pharmacy.

"I suffered for months from sore throat. Electric Oil cured me in twenty-four hours. M. S. Gist, Hawesville, Ky. Green's Pharmacy.

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Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

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Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

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WORLD'S FAIR IS ENDED!

St. Louis Purchase Exposition Passes Into History.

AT HOUR OF MIDNIGHT

Glowing Electric Bulbs Began Dimming Gradually Into Darkness and It Was All Over.

HAD BEEN OPEN FOR SEVEN MONTHS

St. Louis, December 2.—The Louisiana Purchase exposition has ended. The stupendous and magnificent exposition, whose tendrils of interest have extended into every portion of the civilized world and even into aboriginal recesses, bringing within the gates of St. Louis millions of visitors from throughout the entire world, has run its course and now passes into history, as probably having comprised the most representative collection of the resources, industries, art, peoples and customs of the world ever assembled. From the inception of a project to hold an exposition fittingly to commemorate the one hundredth anniversary of the purchase of the Louisiana territory until the portals were thrown open and the world invited to enter and enjoy the completed exhibition of the World's life, occupied a period of seven years. The duration of the exposition has been seven months, and during that time nothing has occurred to throw a dampening effect on the interest or to detract from the exposition in any way. The best order has been maintained throughout. No loss of life has occurred during the exposition from accidents. St. Louis has proffered her most gracious hospitality to the world and it has been accepted.

Throngs of visitors have poured in to attend the exposition with the expectation of being pleased and satisfied. They have departed amazed and gratified. The opinion has been expressed at all times on all sides, and without reserve that the Louisiana Purchase exposition has been a success.

The man most prominently known in connection with the World's Fair is President David R. Francis, and it was deemed fitting that the final day should be designated as "Francis Day," in his honor.

"This exposition has been the work of my life," said President Francis. "It has consumed my entire time for the past four years, but every hour has been an hour of pleasure to me. I have exhausted my stock of adjectives in trying to describe this fair. It is as difficult to do it justice as it is to paint the lily."

The closing exercises were held at the base of the Louisiana Purchase monument in the plaza of St. Louis, where were held seven months ago the exercises that formally opened the gates to the world.

The principal speeches delivered were by Governor Dockery, of Missouri, and President Francis. Mayor Wells spoke briefly and introduced Governor Dockery.

After the cheering following President Francis's speech had died away Festus J. Wade, of St. Louis, a member of the board of directors, was introduced and presented President Francis a beautiful silver service as a token of esteem from the exposition management. A similar gift was presented to Treasurer William H. Thompson. Mr. Thompson was unable to be present, as he was confined to his home with a severe cold.

Promptly at 4 o'clock the great exhibit palaces were closed and visitors were excluded.

As the night drew on throngs concentrated in the main avenues to view for the last time the magnificent electric illumination. One solid stream of humanity swept through the Pike from end to end. The spirit of revelry was there. Never since the opening had more enlivenment been shown at night on the grounds. Over on Agricultural Knoll the great floral clock clicked off the minutes of the departing pageant. And in the night rang out the tones of the massive bell as the midnight hour was tolled by the great clock. Instantly a hush seemed to pervade the entire grounds. The glowing electric bulbs slowly began dimming, the pulsations of the great engines that drove the Cascades gradually died down. The light faded steadily, diminishing until but a faint glow was perceptible. Suddenly there was a darkness and the Louisiana Purchase exposition had passed into the chronicles of history.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cure wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by all druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" and take no other kind.

THE HOY REUNION.

Enjoyable Gathering at the Residence of John C. Hoy, of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Hoy, of Burton, Minnesota, have been visiting in Centre county during the past five weeks, principally at the home of John C. Hoy, one and a half miles west of Jacksonville. It is 34 years since this excellent couple went to the West. They were both in the 61st year of their age and the pleasure they have in renewing the acquaintance of their youthful days can well be imagined. Of course, the pleasure of Mrs. Hoy is interfered with to a considerable extent by the fact that she is quite deaf, having lost her hearing about fifteen years ago.

When Cyrus Hoy and wife left Jacksonville in their early married life they first located at Pearl City, Ill. They lived there 32 years and then moved to their present place of residence—Burton two years ago. Mr. Hoy has one sister living Mrs. Jacob Dunkle, of Hublersburg, and one brother, Joseph, of Walker, Mrs. Hoy has two brothers living—G. M, Betz, of Walker, and John, of Milroy—and one sister, Mrs. Steward, of Flemington.

On Thanksgiving day an enjoyable gathering was held in their honor at the home of John C. Hoy, including guests from Bellefonte, Zion, Hublersburg, Nittany, Howard and Jacksonville; also Dr. J. H. Tibbens, of Beech Creek, and Dr. George Tibbens, of Knoxville, Pa. At the noon hour the guests arranged themselves about a bounteously laden table, and they did full justice to the viands, Prof. Noll proving himself to be champion chicken eater and John Hoy, Jr., the boss pie consumer. The afternoon was spent in that conversation which flows so freely when former friends meet after a long interval. Music was furnished by the Hoy brothers, of Jacksonville. In the singing of those grand old hymns which are ever new Cyrus Hoy was the leader. He is a notable singer and for 25 years was the leader in the Methodist choir at Pearl City.

While in the East they will visit other relatives and friends at Milroy and also in Altoona.

Beware of Counterfeits.

"Dewitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve," writes J. L. Tucker, of Centre, Ala., "I have used it in my family for Piles, Cuts and Burns for years and can recommend it to be the best Salve on the market. Every family should keep it as it is an invaluable household remedy, and should always be kept on hand for immediate use." Mrs. Samuel Gage, of North Bush, N. Y., says: "I had a fever sore on my ankle for twelve years that the doctors could not cure. All salves and blood remedies proved worthless. I could not walk for over two years. Finally, I was persuaded to try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which has completely cured me. 'It is a wonderful relief.'" DeWitt's Hazel Salve cures without a scar. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

Woman Suffragists Fight Statehood Bill.

Immediate action was advised Wednesday at a meeting of the Woman Suffrage Society, at 1227 Arch street, Philadelphia, against the Statehood bill, which proposes to unite Oklahoma and Indian Territory and Arizona and New Mexico.

The organization declares that the word sex appears in two paragraphs in the bill in such a way that women are placed on the same level with lunatics and criminals. This peculiar wording of the bill has aroused the indignation of women throughout the country.

Miss Annie Heacock delivered an address on "Woman's Progress," and a report of the annual convention was made by Dr. Mary E. Allen.

THE KIDNEYS are strengthened and toned by Hood's Sarsaparilla—it cures all their ailments, pains in the loins and THE BACKACHE.

On Advertising.

Does advertising pay?

Well, five years ago some banks in Pittsburg, began to advertise.

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Recently the business of the five year period was compared by the advertising banks.

In the five years the advertising banks gained 38 per cent in assets and 85 per cent in deposits.

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Does advertising pay?

Well?

A Timely Topic.

At this season of coughs and colds it is well to know that Foley's Honey and Tar is the greatest throat and lung remedy. It cures quickly and prevents serious results from a cold. For sale by C. M. Parrish.

Buy $250,000 Coal Land.

A. F. Jones, of Johnstown, has just sold to J. B. Irish, of Philadelphia, and A. W. Graff, of Blairsville, 1800 acres of coal land near Hooversville, Somerset county, for $250,000.

The coal will be mined by the Somerset Mining company, of which the two gentlemen are stockholders. The purchase price was paid in cash.

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The famous little pills.
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BRIEF MENTION

Short Items of Local Interest Gathered By The Way Side

—James Dunlap, while prospecting on the land at Stoney Point, near Philipsburg, located a vein of coal three feet, four inches thick and still rising.

—Israel Zubler's new barn, on the site of the recently burned barn, on the pike east of Old Fort, where the "deep well" is, was raised on Saturday last, with the assistance of a large crowd of helpers. Sheds were at the same time raised. John Hagan is the builder and has made quick work of the job.

—We had an opportunity to observe the appearance of the wheat fields in parts of this county, a few days ago. They look spotted as a general thing and the plant is much crippled on account of the drought. Reports from over the county are pretty much to the same effect, save an occasional field that is all right.

—Jerry Confer, on Marsh Creek, a few days ago set a fox trap and caught a large owl. Jerry discovered that some bird of prey was visiting his premises and had killed two of his turkeys. The morning after setting the trap he found the feathered varmint had waded into it. The owl was on exhibition in the show window of [illegible]'s hardware store, and there were [illegible] callers to see his majesty.

—The season for killing deer closed on the last day of November, other game kinds may be hunted and killed until and including the 15th of the present month. So turkey hunters, and rabbit hunters, and hunters for other small game, may continue their sport a couple weeks longer. There is no limit put upon the season for killing bears, so those who have only the blood of bruin on their hunting program may go on indefinitely.

—A party of Altoona hunters captured four deer and a big black bear while hunting near Snow Shoe during the past week. The animals were fine specimens. The largest weighing 150 pounds and the smallest 85 pounds. The large black bear weighed over 200 pounds. The hunters were all members of the Altoona Rod and Gun Club.

—Sometime ago we published an account of a remarkable "faith cure" of Minnie Kline, of Altoona, which has proven to be a hoax. The Altoona papers published a lengthy account of the complete cure of spine curvature, from which affliction Miss Kline suffered since her childhood. It is now stated that the lady is confined to her bed. Miss Kline is a daughter of J. A. Kline, of Oak Hall.

—Ten thousand demons gnawing away at one's vitals couldn't be much worse than the tortures of itching piles. Yet there's a cure. Doan's Ointment never fails.

—According to an article appearing in the English Mechanic and World, the following is a good way to clean oil paintings: Lay the picture flat with a wet cloth closely pressed down on the surface of the painting, keep wet for three or four days and then wash off with soap and water. Then rub a fair sized onion, cut in halves and rub the picture with the flat inside surface. A potato will do as well as the onion. Good gilt frames will clean well with soap and water and a soft brush.

—A writer in the Philipsburg Journal suggests that the village improvement society of that town take a day off and level the hundreds of piles of ashes placed on the various streets by untidy, indifferent and careless citizens. Think of the spectacle of a score or more well dressed women on the streets of Philipsburg shoveling ashes and tossing all kinds of rubbish into the garbage wagon. But to be a heroine dire emergencies must be met and heroic things must be done.

—It is estimated that hundreds of thousands of bushels of apples in this country have been allowed to lie in the orchards this fall and rot or freeze because there was no market for them. The crop was so abundant that after housing all that would be needed for winter consumption, making all the cider necessary, selling all that could be marketed and giving away the fine fruit to all who would pick up the apples, the surplus is still beyond any means of accurately estimating.

—One hundred cases of small pox now exist at the town of Morris Run over in the Clearfield region. People can get in the town but they cannot get out. A strike of the miners there has been in progress for some weeks, and all things considered the condition of the people is not very pleasant. An effort, it is said, is about to be made to start the mines. A few days ago fifty men were imported, along with a negro cook, and are now being quartered in a large hall not far from the mines. Seven guards with rifles are doing duty around the hall, which is lighted by electricity night and day.

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EARLE C. TUTEN.

EDITORIAL.

It is easier for a camel to go through the knee of an idol than for a rich man to die without having his will contested.

Paderewski is coming across the Atlantic again to exhibit before the American people the latest fashion in scrambled hair and harmony.

The Baltic fleet seems to be making headway unopposed and if the Japanese don't hurry up, they will have a heap more of trouble on their hands.

Everybody will be glad to learn that the man who played the piano for sixty hours without stopping has been stopped at last and is in a Baltimore jail.

This is the very last time that we shall take the trouble to inform the girls of this neighborhood that leap year is drawing to an end, and there will not be another till they are older.

The official returns show that President Roosevelt carried Nebraska by 85,648. It was reported that Mr. Bryan went to *Indiana* to speak, but these figures seem to indicate that he did not leave his State.

In his recent trip from Washington to Missouri the President traveled a thousand miles without passing through a Democratic State. He could have traveled 25,000 miles more in the same direction without touching one.

William Allen White ran away from a woman who attacked him with a whip the other day and announces that when a woman assails him he shall always run instead of fight. This seems the prudent and proper thing, and establishes another great principle. But it will make necessary a special course of sprinting at all the women's gymnasiums, if they expect to get near their prey.

The courtesy which distinguished the meeting of Roderick Dhu and James Fitzjames is surpassed by that of the gambler who was shot down from behind in the crowded streets of New York the other day. Roche made an ante-mortem statement assuring the officers of the law that he had been shot in the interests of justice and that the assassin was not at all to blame. He added "If he hadn't shot me, I should ultimately have killed him." He made a spirited plea for "Frank" and declared that, although he had not seen his friend until after the shooting, it was virtually self-defence! What a revival of chivalry!

It may be permitted to advise our Democratic neighbors: Lie low; keep still; let the kettle boil; don't say a word for a year. Some time or other things are sure to come your way. Republicans will make horrible mistakes. The people resent it. Wait. Lie low. Don't fret. Cultivate Quiet. Mum's the word. The hubbub of the late election is over. *It* was like a convention of organ-grinders. "You'd think it was a Discord sent from some infernal clime To clip the wings of sentiment And break the legs of Time, And crack the voice of melody And dock the tail of rhyme." If our Democratic friends could keep perfectly still for the next year or two, it would be worth millions to them.

JOSEPH TWITMIRE.

An Aged Citizen of Bellefonte Passes Away.

Joseph Twitmire, one of Bellefonte's oldest and most respected citizens peacefully passed away at his home on Spring street Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Death was due to the infirmities of old age. For the past six months he had been confined to his bed.

The deceased was born in Spring Twp., between Zion and Pleasant Gap July 2, 1824, making his age 80 years and 5 months. When a young man he learned the axe making trade and for many years he resided at Axe Mann and worked at the Mann Axe Factory in that place. When the factory went into the trust and was closed down he moved to Bellefonte where he has since resided.

The venerable man's death occurred on the 59th anniversary of his marriage to Miss Jane Steele, which event took place in the stone house on Spring street next to the M. E. church, then the Methodist parsonage, but now occupied by Dr. Laurie The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Tonner, a well-known Methodist minister of the earlier days and the father of Mrs. Henry Harris, of this place. Several days before his death Mr. Twitmire mentioned the fact that Dec. 2nd was the anniversary of his marriage and seemed to be looking forward to it with interest.

He was an earnest Methodist and had been a member of that denomination for over sixty years. He took part in every Methodist revival for years back and was a powerful exhorter. He was a sincere christian in every respect.

Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Jane Twitmire, who is past 85 years of age; one son, Wilbur T. Twitmire, of this place, and a brother, Henry, of Newry, Blair county.

The funeral took place Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock from the Methodist church. Rev. J. A. Wood, Jr., officiating. Interment in the Union cemetery.

Rev. J. A. Wood delivered a very touching sermon, speaking in glowing terms of the high christian character of the departed one. The Methodist choir rendered appropriate music.

The casket bearers were S. A. Bell, W. H. Musser, C. C. Shuey, L. A. Schaeffer, John I. Olewine and G. W. Rees.

Butchering Day at Commissioner Millers.

Monday of this week County Commissioner Abram V. Miller had a butchering at his home in Pleasant Gap and several big porkers were killed and dressed on that day. As everyone knows a butchering in the country means a great big dinner with just loads and loads of good things to eat. For several days previous to the big event Commissioner Miller had been regaling his coworkers in the Commissioners office and those about the Court House with the story of the butchering and the great time he was going to have. Now for some reason he forgot to invite his friends and of course they knew it was an oversight on his part. One by one they quietly slipped out of the Commissioners office leaving Mr. Miller alone. He however suspected nothing. They met at a convenient point hired a carriage and drove to the Miller home at the Gap, enjoyed a splendid dinner and were sitting in the parlor picking their teeth when Mr. Miller came walking in at noon. Well it is safe to say that A. V. Miller was the most surprised man that ever came "out the pike." He however was delighted to see them and made them feel at home and all enjoyed a good hearty laugh at Mr. Miller's expense.

One of the party said after the dinner was over there was enough still left to feed three or four more just such hungry crowds. Among those present from Bellefonte were the following: Commissioners Meyer and Bailey, County Treasurer P. D. Foster, Commissioners clerk, Ambrose Sloteman and James Corl.

Died Near Spruce Creek.

Dr. James M. Brown, chief medical examiner for the Pennsylvania railroad relief department, Middle division, died at twenty-five minutes before 12 o'clock Monday night at his farm, the J. Q. Adams homestead, near Spruce Creek. Dr. Brown's office was at Harrisburg, but he spent much of his time at the home near Spruce Creek. He was stricken with paralysis about two weeks ago, from which he did not rally.

Dr. Brown came to Pennsylvania from Marysville, Tenn., a number of years ago. His wife was formerly Miss Margaret Bell, of Rock Springs, Centre county. She survives her husband. Two brothers survive him also, and reside in the South; one is a lawyer and the other a farmer. One sister, Mrs. Homer Hewit, of Williamsburg, also survives. The deceased was a thirty-second degree Mason and was active and influential in the councils of the order. He was a member of the Presbyterian church. He ranked high in the medical profession and socially was a genial gentleman.

The funeral was held Thursday morning. Services by Rev L. M. Lewis at the late home of the deceased, at 10 o'clock. Interment in the Graysville cemetery.

HISTORY OF THE BARD FAMILY

Capture of Richard Bard and Family

BY THE INDIANS

Their Thrilling Experience and Final Release and Subsequent History--- Compiled by Dr. Thomas C. Van Tries.

INTERESTING SCRAP OF HISTORY

(Compiled by Dr. Thomas C. VanTries).

At the request of several friends and relatives the writer some three years ago decided to prepare a brief history of several families who were related by marriage, and who have been somewhat prominent in the history of this (Centre) county and state. Some of them also became conspicuous in national affairs. The list selected for this purpose includes the Bard, Potter, Poe, Curtin and Gregg families. The first article of this series was a sketch of the Bard family, which was read before a company of friends in May, A. D. 1902. Although none of the Bard family ever resided in Centre county, yet I have thought that, in view of the thrilling experience of the family of Richard Bard, a sketch of the same might be of interest to some of your readers. This narrrtive may be appropriately introduced by a brief

HISTORY OF THE BARD FAMILY.

The most essential quality in the statement of historical facts is that they be authentic. The available data for this sketch unfortunately are meagre and incomplete. It is no easy matter to gather up a full history of people who lived more than a hundred and fifty years ago.

Archibald Bard came to America from Ireland before or about the time (A. D. 1732) of the advent of his brother-in-law, Capt. John Potter, who was the first sheriff of Cumberland county, Pa., and the father of General James Potter of Revolutionary fame. Unfortunately we have not been able to learn who was the wife of Archibald Bard and mother of Richard Bard, the hero of the following narrative. It is generally believed that Mrs. John Potter, wife of the above mentioned Capt. John Potter, was a sister of Archibald Bard. Hence, Richard speaks of Thomas Potter as his cousin.

Richard Bard, the hero of our narrative, was the son of the above mentioned Archibald Bard. Archibald Bard also had the following sons, viz:—William, David, Thomas and James. There probably were other sons and also daugthers, but we have not been able to learn their names. William was one of the founders of Bardstown, Kentucky. Several of his brothers, including Richard, seem to have taken up lands in Kentucky at an early date.

Our hero, Richard Bard, was born February 8th, 1736, and died February 22nd, 1799—aged sixty-three years. Richard Bard's wife was Catharine Poe, sister of Capt. James Poe, who was the grandfather of the writer of this article. She was born June 13th, 1736 (the same year as her husband), and died August 31st, 1811, aged seventy-five years—a remarkable age to be attained by a woman who passed through all the hardships and privations incident to her captivity. They both lived and died near Mercersburg, Franklin county, Pa. They seem to have had a large family, but we have only the names of two of their sons, viz: Archibald and Thomas. The great event in their lives was their capture by a band of Indians on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1758, at their home in York county, (now Franklin county, Pa.,) not far from Mercersburg, Pa. Their infant child, their cousin Thomas Potter, and several of their servants were also captured at the same time. He escaped from the Indians five or six days after their capture at a point not far from what is now Homer City, in Indiana county, Pa., leaving his wife still in captivity. She was afterwards ransomed from the Indians by his paying the sum of forty pounds or two hundred dollars for her release. She was in captivity for two years and five months.

Fuller particulars of their capture and escape will appear latter. The Hon. Thomas Roberts Bard, at present U. S. Senator from the state of California, is a great grandson of Richard Bard. He is a descendant of Thomas Bard, third son of Richard and Catharine Poe. Senator Bard's father was Richard McFarland Bard, a grandson of Richard.

The Hon. Archibald Bard Darrah, a member of the last Congress from the state of Michigan, is also a great grandson of Richard Bard and Catharine Poe.

While residing in Blairsville, Pa., the writer made the acquaintance of a number of the descendants of the Bard family. J. McKinnie Turner and his brother Gardiner Turner (recently deceased), are also great grandsons of Richard Bard and Catharine Poe. They reside near Blairsville, Pa. There are quite a number of the Bard descendants residing in Pittsburg, Pa. Of these I only made the acquaintance of Miss Kate Eriom and Mrs. Minnie B. Pritchard.

My father lived in York county, (now Franklin county,) and owned a mill, in what was called Canalls tract. On the morning of the 13th, of April, A. D., 1758, his house was infested by a party of nineteen Indians. At this time there were in the house, my father, mother and their infant child of about six months old, and Lieutenant Thomas Potter, (brother of General James Potter, and a bound boy. A little girl named Hannah McBride discovered them, and ran screaming into the house. They had a fight with the Indians and Potter was shot in the little finger. For various reasons, they determined it would be best to surrender, the Indians promising them that they would not be put to death.

A party of the Indians then went to a field and made prisoners of Samuel Hunter and Daniel McManimy. A lad by the name of William White was also taken prisoner. He had come to the mill with a bag of corn. Having secured the prisoners, they took all the valuable effects out of the house, and set fire to the mill. The Indians were of the Delaware nation. About Seventy rods from the house, contrary to all their promises, they put Thomas Potter to death; and having proceeded on the mountain about three or four miles, one of the Indians sunk the spear of his tomahawk into the breast of the little child; and after repeated blows, scalped it. Being pursued by white men, they hurried the prisoners along with all possible speed. On the top of the Tuscarora Mountain, when all had sat down to rest, an Indian, without any previous warning, sunk a tomahawk into the forehead of Samuel Hunter, who was seated by my father; and by repeated blows, put an end to his existence, and then scalped him. The next day they marched over the Alleghany Mountain. On the fifth day, while crossing Stony Creek, the wind blew a hat of my father's from the head of the Indian in whose custody he was. The Indian went down the stream some distance before he recovered it. When the Indian returned, he severly beat my father with the gun, almost disabling him from traveling. So he determined to attempt his escape that night. Being encamped, my parents, who before this had not liberty to speak to one another, were now permitted to assist each other in plucking a turkey; and while thus engaged, my father told my mother of his design of escaping. After some of the Indias had laid down, and one of them was amusing the others by dressing himself in a gown of my mother's my father was called to go for water. He took a quart and stepped about six rods down to the spring. My mother perceiving this, succeeded so well in confining the attention of the Indians to the gown that my father had got about one hundred yards away, when the Indians from one fire cried to those of another, "Your man is gone." They spent two days looking after him, while the prisoners were confined in the camp; but after an unsuccessful search, they proceeded down the stream to the Allegheny river, thence to Fort Dusquesne, (afterwards Fort Pitt,) where Pittsburg now stands. After remaining there one night and a day, they went about twenty miles down the Ohio to an Indian town, on entering which, several squaws beat my mother severely. They then took her to a town called Sunsuskey. Here Daniel McManimy was detained outside the town, but my mother and the two boys and girl were taken into the town where their hair was pulled and they were scratched and beaten in an unmerciful manner.

Here occurred the torture and horrible death of Daniel McManimy. The Indians formed themselves into a circle round the prisoner, and began beating him with sticks and tomahawks. He was them tied to a post near a large fire, and after torturing him for some time with burning coals, they scalped him, and put the scalp on a pole to bleed before his face. A gun-barrel was then heated red-hot and passed over his body; and with a red-hot bayonet they pierced his body several times. In this manner they continued torturing him, singing and shouting, until he expired.

Shortly after this, my mother set out from this place, leaving the two boys and girls, whom she never saw again until they were liberated. She was now distressed beyond measure; going she knew not where, without a comforter, without a companion, and expecting to share the fate of McManimy in the next town she would reach. They soon after arrived at a town. Here a chief took my mother by the hand and delivered her to two Indian men, to be in the place of a deceased sister. She was put in charge of a Squaw in order to be cleanly clothed. She had remained here with her adopted friends nearly a month, when her party began thinking of removing to the head waters of the Susquehanna, a journey of about two hundred miles. This was very painful to my mother who had already traveled about two hundred miles over mountains and swamps, until her feet and legs were extremely swollen and sore.

Fortunately on the day of their setting out, a horse was given her by her adopted brother; but before they had traveled far, one of the horses in the company died, and she had to surrender hers to supply its place.

On arriving at the place of destination, having in all traveled nearly five hundred miles, the fatigue which she had undergone, with cold and hunger brought on a severe spell of sickness which lasted nearly two months. In this doleful situation, having no person to comfort or sympathize with her, a blanket was her only covering, and her bed was the cold earth, in a miserable cabin. Boiled corn was her only food, so that she became so weak as to consider her end near at hand; but she finally recovered. From the day of her captivity to the time of her release, covered a period of two years and five months. She was treated during this time, by her adopted relations, with much kindness, even more than she had reason to expect.

His son here proceeds to give an account of his father's experience after his escape. It agrees with his own account given in his poem.

From the time of his return home until the release of his wife, he did little else in vain, he went to Fort Pitt (Pittsburg), which was then in the hands of the English. "Here he had an opportunity of writing her a letter, requesting her to inform her adopted friends, that if they would bring her in, he would pay them forty pounds." But having waited for an answer until he became impatient, he bargained with an Indian to go and steal her away." But when the time came, he declined to go, saying that he would be killed if he went. In this situation my father resolved at all hazards, to go himself, and bring her; for which purpose he set out and went to a place on the Susquehanna. I think it was called Shamokin, (Sunbury), not far from what is called the Big Cherry Trees. Here he set out on an Indian path, along which he traveled until evening, when he was met by a party of Indians who were bringing in my mother. The Indians passed him by and raised the war halloo. My mother felt distressed at the situation, and my father perceiving that the Indians were not in a good humor, began to promise them their pay, as he had promised them by letter, when they would come to Shamokin. They told him that he would refuse to pay when he got among the whites. Finding they were thus apprehensive, he told them to keep him as a hostage out in the woods, and send his wife into town, and he would send an order for the money to be paid them, and if it was not paid, they might do with him as they pleased. This had the desired effect. They got quite good humored and brought them in, when the money was paid agreeably to promise, and she was released.

Before my father and mother left Shamokin, he requested an Indian who had been an adopted brother of my mother, if ever he came down among the white people to call and see him. Accordingly, some time afterwards, the Indian paid him a visit at his home about ten miles from Chambersburg. Having continued for some time with my father, the Indian went to a tavern known by the name of McCormack's, and became somewhat intoxicated. A certain man named Newgen, (afterwards executed at Carlisle for horse-stealing), stabbed the Indian in the neck with a large knife, but only cut the fore part of his wind pipe, instead of his throat as he intended. A physician attended the Indian, the wound was sewed up and he continued at my father's house until he recovered, when he returned to his own people, who put him to death, because, as they said, he had joined the white people.

In August, 1764, (according to the best information), my father and his family, from fear of the Indians, moved to my grandfather's Thomas Poe's, about three miles from his place. One day he took a black girl with him to his own place to make some hay. While at his work, the dog began to bark and run to and from a thicket of bushes. He became alarmed and taking up his gun, told the girl to run to the house, as he believed there were Indians near. So they went to the house, and had not been there more than an hour, when from the loft of the house, they saw a party commanded by Captain Potter, (afterwards General Potter,) who were in pursuit of a party of Indians who had that morning murdered a school master of the name of Brown, with ten small children, and scalped and left for dead one Archibald McCullough, who fortunately recovered. It was remarkable that, with but few exceptions, the scholars were averse to going to school that morning. McCullough says that when they got to school, two of the scholars informed the master that on their way they had seen Indians, but he ordered them to their books. Soon afterwards two old Indians and a boy rushed up to the door. The master prayed them only to take his life and spare the children. But the two old Indians stood at the door while the boy entered the house and with a club like an Indian maul, killed both master and scholars, after which the whole of them were scalped. This event occurred only a few miles from Greencastle, Pa., and not far from the birthplace and girlhood home of the writer's mother.

A few years ago the citizens of that vicinity, aided by the state, erected a suitable monument to the memory of Mr. Brown, the school master, and his pupils, near or on the spot where they were murdered.

CAPTURE AND ESCAPE OF R. BARD

Recovery of His Wife, As Compiled From His Papers By His Son.

(From "Our Western Border" by Charles McKnight, page 225.)

AFFIDAVIT OF RICHARD BARD.

Containing Statement of His Capture by the Indians and Escape.

The affirmation of Richard Bard, of Hamilton's Ban township, aged twenty-two years, who saith that his habitation being at the fort of the South mountain, on the South East Side thereof, on the 13th day of April last, at seven o'clock in the morning, he, the deponent, was in his house, with Katherine his wife, John his child about seven months old, Thomas Potter, son of the late Captain John Potter, Esq., Fredrick Herrick, his servant, fourteen years of age, Hannah McBride, aged eleven years, William White, nine years old. In his field were Samuel Hunter and Daniel McMenomy, laborers, when a party, consisting of nineteen Indians came and captured Samuel Hunter and David McMenomy in the field and afterward came to the dwelling house of this deponent, and six of them suddenly rushed into the house, and were immediately driven out by the deponent and Thomas Potter. The door of the house was thrown down by our pressing to keep the Indians out and their pressing to come in. They shot in the house at us, and shot away Thomas Potter's little finger.

We then had time to know their numbers, and in a little time surrendered on the promise of the Indians not to kill any of us; and took us about sixty rods up the mountain where their match coats lay; for they were naked except their breech clouts, leggings, moccasins and caps; there they brought the two men that had been at work in the field, and in about half an hour ordered us to march, letting me formost of the prisoners.

We marched, one after another at some distance; at about seven miles, they killed my child, which I discovered by seeing its scalp. About twelve o'clock I saw another scalp, which I knew to be Thomas Potter's. I have since been informed that they killed him where their match coats lay. Friday the 14th, about twelve o'clock, they murdered Samuel Hunter, on the North mountain. They drove us over the Allegheny mountains in a day and a half, and on Monday night about ten o'clock, I escaped, they having sent me several times about three rods from the fire to bring them water. In nine nights and days I got to Fort Littleton, having no other food than four snakes which I had killed and ate, and some buds and roots and the like. Three Cherokee Indians found me about two miles from Fort Littleton, cut me a staff and piloted me to the Fort.

In conversation with the Indians, during my captivity, they informed me that they were Delewares; for they mostly all speak English. One spoke as good English as I can. The Captain said he had been to Philadelphia about a year ago. I asked them if they were not going to make peace with the English? The Captain answered and said, they were talking about it when he was in Philadelphia last winter; but he went away and left them. RICHARD BARD.

Affirmed and subscribed, the 12th, of May, 1758, before me.

GEO. STEVENSON

In addition to the above statements we have a poem written by Richard Bard, giving an account of his capture and escape. It is in the peculiar metre of Rousis version of David's psalms. So the whole story is well authenticated.

DEATH OF ARCHIBALD MUNRO.

A Prominent Citizen of Lock Haven and Clinton County.

Archibald Munro, one of the leading business men of Clinton county, died at his home in Lock Haven Friday night quite suddenly. He was a member of the firm of Fredericks, Munro & Co., manufacturers of fire brick at Farrandsville Clinton county, Pa.

He was born at Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, March 4th, 1834, which makes him past seventy years of age. He was a deacon in the Baptist church and an active Republican. For many years he served as postmaster at Farrandsville, having been appointed by President Arthur. He also served as school director for many years.

He leaves a wife and seven children to mourn their loss.

Death of William Bailey.

William Bailey died at his home in Stormstown at 11 o'clock on the night of Sunday, November 22nd, after a long illness with stomach trouble. Deceased was 57 years of age and an old soldier, having served through the war in Company G, 148th regiment, under General Beaver. He was a member of the W. I. Furst G. A. R. post of Stormstown. Mr. Bailey was a life-long member of the Methodist church, and a good citizen. He is survived by his wife, seven daughters and four sons, also one brother, David Bailey. The funeral was held the Tuesday following his death, Rev. Eslinger officiating. Interment was made at Gray's cemetery.

George Heinselman.

George Heinselman died at his home in Schaefferstown, Lebanon county, Wednesday Nov. 23 the funeral being held Saturday morning. Deceased was a brother of Mrs. Wesley Meyer, of Millheim, and was well known in this section.

PERSONAL.—If you are thirsty chew a CHICLET.

CORRESPONDENCE

OLIVIA.

Ed Sharer moved into his new house on Wednesday.

Wm. Beamer, moved to Tyrone this week.

Miss Belle Miller attended institute at Hollidaysburg last week.

George Howard, of East Pittsburg, is a guest at the home of his parents.

Frank Lego, of Harrisburg, was a guess of his aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Lego. on Saturday.

Ed. Loughery, of Tyrone, assisted Thomas Balling in butchering four fine hogs on Thursday.

James Cowher, our most industrious blacksmith, moved into the house vacated by Mr. Sharer.

Miss Laura Nearhoof, of West Brownville, was a guest of her brother, Amos Nearhoof.

Mrs Frances Wagner, of Altoona, spent several days last week with her aunt, Mrs. B. C, Eckley.

D. H. Haagen and Mike McCann, of Tyrone, were among the many hunters at this place on Tuesday of last week.

Harry Stewart and friend, Miss Hannah Walislage, were guests at the home of Scot Sessaman. near vail, on Sunday.

Mrs. A, G. Dubbs, of Centre Hall, was a guest at the camp of her husband at the McNitt Brothers & Co. Shook Mill, over Sunday.

William Garland and wife and Amos, James and Elmer Garland, of Sandy Ridge, assisted their father, Henry Garland, butcher on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Samuel Lewis, of near Dix station, butchered four of the largest hogs that have been killed yet in this vicinity. The four pulled the scales to seventeen hundred pounds.

E. M. Huyett, of Centre Hall, was a business visitor at this place several days last week. He was looking after their shook mill, of which Mr. Huyett is one of the firm of McNitt Brothers & Co.

PENNSYLVANIA FURNACE.

B. F. Davis lost a valuable horse last week.

Mr. Stevenson visited C. B. Hess recently.

Mrs. I. W. Wert was a Tyrone visitor Wednesday.

Arthur Miller has returned to Altoona where he is employed.

Emmet McClintock is visiting at the home of his uncle, I. M. Houser,

A party hunting rabbits in the Barrens secured 18 in three days.

William Frank who was kicked by a horse recently, is rapidly improving.

Two inches of ice have been frozen on the dam and affords excellent skating.

Captain Bathurst and his party have returned from a week's hunt empty handed.

Deer season is ended. Many were the parties after the fleet footed animal the last day.

Butchering is on in good order. There are many stories of the large hogs that have been killed.

The grammar school is progressing rapidly under the excellent teaching of M. E. Heberling.

WOODWARD.

Mrs. Grace Huss, from Spring Mills, visited at N. W. Eby's a few days.

Milton Barner, wife and children, Lola and Lee, from Carroll, spent a few days with the lady's father, M. F. Hess.

Rev. Buck is conducting a series of meetings in the Evangelical church at this place. Nineteen penitents so far.

Mrs. Wm. Snyder and children, from Glen Iron, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at this place,

Mrs. Rev. J. L. Buck and daughter, Hilda, from Rebersburg, spent the greater part of last week in town.

Bishop Hartzler preached in the United Evangelical church Sunday evening.

The young people are taking advantage of the fine skating on the dam.

Prof. Edgar Stover, wife and baby Grace, visited the lady's parents, C. W. Hosterman's on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gephart, from Rebersburg, came to assist their son, Prof. Gephart, to butcher last week.

PORT MATILDA.

The thresher is heard coming around again to finish threshing for many of the farmers who got only their seed grain threshed as the thresher passed through here on its trip to farmers west of here.

There was excellent skating during the past two weeks until Monday's snow stopped the sport.

Sleigh bells were heard once more as some were sleighing on Monday evening. It was a little rough but you can't glide over snow in the summer.

Miss Hannah Newman, of this place, spent Friday in Altoona.

Mrs. H. C. Woodring and daughter Nora, returned to their home in this place on Monday of last week, after a two weeks visit in Stewart Station and Allegheny.

H. H. Osman, our efficient postmaster, transacted business in Bellefonte on Monday of last week.

Mrs. Waring, of Tyrone, is visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. Westons of this place.

Marion Thompson, of Stormstown, lost a valuable horse on Tuesday. The team was being driven to Philipsburg when the horse took sick at this place of an unknown disease and died.

MILLHEIM

Ben Tate of Bellefonte employee of the Bell Tel. Co. was in town over Sunday.

Quite a number of our people attended court last week. Some are no doubt wiser if not better men.

Miss Mayme Miller of the Bell Telephone Ex. visited her friend Miss Tess Harter at State College last Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

There is a scarcity of water in our town, nearly all the wells are dry, we need rain badly, If it should winter up in this condition, there will be a water famine.

John and Frank Houseman, George Sechrist, Step. Moyer and William Royer are working at the new church near Spring Mills.

Esq. F. P. Musser had business at the county seat last week.

Charley Mench of the *Gazette* was in town last Saturday.

As the butchering season is about over the following are among those that killed hogs that averaged over 400 viz: William Kramer 2, 1236 the heaviest one weighed 669; D. L. Zerby 2, 1231 the heaviest one 851; Jacob Emerick 2, 1018; George Springer 2, 901; F. O. Hosterman 2, 979; P. P. Leitzell 2, 965, Geo. B. Stover 2, 855; France Ulrick 1, 481; Mrs. J. B. Stover 1, 547. Total weight of 16 hogs 8213, average weight 513. If there is a town in Pa. that can beat this record, let them stand up and be counted. Hogs weighing under 400 are not counted here some call them sucking pigs.

W. A. Tobias has had his pension increased under the ruling on account of age to $12 a month. There are only two more in this section that come under order No. 78. Parker did not get the chance to cut the pensions. Thousands of soldiers voted against Parker on his stand on the pension question.

A. F. Harter sold one of his lots on Penn street to P. P. Leitzel, consideration $100

John M, Reish and William Throssel transacted business at Bellefonte one day last week.

Irvin Luse, wife and son after a few week's visit among relatives and friends left for their home at Pittsburg last Friday.

Miss Mary Hartman, of Penn street, is visiting at Mifflinburg for a week or more.

Harry Coll after a week's business trip, came home last Friday.

During last week, D. I. Neiman the up-to-date clothier, did a rushing trade in clothing and ladies wraps.

The light snow which fell last week, made the tracking of rabbits good, and a great many were killed by our hunters. One of the hunters bagged 8 and another 6 in a very short time.

Foster Albright sold a sorrel mare to Henry Eisenhuth last Saturday. The consideration, something less than $200, a fine heaver but a good hauler.

The town and country is over run with travelling salesmen every day. Business must be increasing since the election, if you can judge by the number travelling.

There was quite a fall of the "beautiful" on Monday afternoon.

F. M. Crawford of Bellefonte, J. I. Reber of Lewisburg, C. W. Griffin, Clinton, N. J., C. E. Owens of Dayton, Ohio, J. C. Farley, Lewisburg, and Robt. H. Ettle of Milton registered at the Musser House on Monday.

RUNVILLE BUDGET.

Monday by all appearance looked like winter was approaching.

D. F. Poorman and wife transacted business in Bellefonte Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Freil on Main St. entertained a number of her lady friends Friday evening, they were the Misses Jayne Walker, Inez Buigem, Edna Poorman, Minnie Walker, Tasie Lucas, Bessie Fetzer, Maude Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Furl, of Philipsburg are visiting at Mr. Elias Hancocks.

Quite a number attended the sale at Plum Grove Monday.

Change hacks at the school house for Yarnell, for particulars ask Mal & George

W. T. Kunes and wife transacted business in Milesburg Saturday.

Mrs. Sadie Poorman of Jersey Shore is visiting her mother Mrs. Nancy Lucas at this place.

Miss Inez Buigem of Coalport has returned to her home at this place.

MADISONBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hazel returned to their home at Lock Haven on Thursday after a few days visit with the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hazel.

Mr. J. J. Gramley left for Freeport, Ill. on Friday where he will visit some of his children for a few weeks.

R. Hockman and daughter Mrs. T. F. Wolfe, attended the funeral of Mr. Louis Pellman at Mifflinburg on Friday.

Mr. Israel Yearick and wife were the guest of their son N, A. on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brown from Wolfe Store were the guest of the lattter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Israel Wolfe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Miller attended the funeral of the little son of Frances Deibler, at Shamokin, Pa. on Sunday.

Mrs. Salina Yearick from Superior, Neb; is the guest of Uriah S. Shaffer's a few weeks.

CHESTNUT GROVE.

Miss Bessie Marshall returned to Williamsport after a weeks visit with her parents of this place.

Mr. Charles Fulton and wife of Rockview visited at Geo. Shirks last week.

Mrs. Jacob Shirk and son Harvey Fetser visited at Snow Shoe over Sunday.

Miss Nora Watson spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents of this place.

Mr. Clement Dale was seen on our streets last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Swarmer and two daughters Emma and Martha of Bellefonte spent a few days with Mr. Swarmers parents at this place.

Miss Olive Marshall and friend Harry Miller of Bellefonte helped Mr. Marshall to butcher last Friday.

Mrs. James Watson and son Oscar made a business trip to Snow Shoe last week.

CENTRE HALL.

Prof. W. J. Harrington, of Boston, Mass., assisted by Miss Louise Edler, soprano soloist and accompanist, is conducting a week's singing school in Grange Arcadia. Last week they held forth at Spring Mills and next week will give a series of concerts at Pine Grove Mills, Boalsburg and other towns of Penns valley.

The Daughters of Rebecca held a banquet on Tuesday evening. This organization has about fifty members and is in a flourishing condition.

John F. Grey, senior member of the firm of Grey & Son, tarried over night in Centre Hall on last Tuesday.

D. A. Boyer and wife left for Philadelphia to visit friends for a few days. Mr. Boyer will attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of F. & A. M. of Pa. as the representative of the lodge at Centre Hall.

Mr. Brodsky, occulist, from Philadelphia, is still in this place fitting with store eyes people whose sight is failing.

Mr. Bell, of the Victor Bath Co., of New York, who spent several weeks in Centre Hall this summer, is back again. He is in poor health, but finds the climate benefits him, as he gained several pounds in weight while here before.

Mrs. Jane Evans Miller.

Mrs. Jane Evans Miller died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lot Evans, near Cedarville, Illinois, a short time ago

Mrs. Miller was born at Spring Mills, January 12, 1819, and was the sister of James Evans, of Spring Mills, and Evan Evans, of Potters Mills, both deceased. One brother, Lot Evans, Sr., of Orangeville, Illinois, survives.

The deceased was married to Henry Miller, now deceased, of Spring Mills, November 20th, 1841. In 1854 the couple emigrated to Orangeville, Illinois, where Mr. Miller died in 1881. From that time Mrs. Miller made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Lot Evans, Other children surviving are Mrs. Sarah M. Boob, Orangeville, Ill.- John P. Miller, of Appleton, Iowa; Mrs. Jane E Evans, of Cedarville, Illinois.

About two years ago Mrs. Miller received injuries from a fall which disabled her for some time. Some time afterwards she suffered a stroke of paralysis, later a second stroke, and finally a third which terminated in her death.

Church Dedication Next Sunday at Pine Hall.

The new Lutheran church at Pine Hall near State College will be dedicated Sunday Dec. 11, and a most cordial invitation is extended to all who can arrange to attend any or all of the services connected with the feast of dedication.

Services will be as follows: Saturday evening at 7:30 sermon by Rev. J. I. Stonecyher, of Boalsburg. Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, sermon by Rev. F. Manhart, D. D., one of the theological professors at Susquehanna University. Dr. Manhart will have charge of the finances and the dedication service will be conducted by the pastor.

Rev. J. M. Rearick, of Centre Hall, President of the Synod of Central Penna., will preach on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Edgar Forest Smith.

On Saturday Dec. 3rd, 1904 death invaded the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Milesburg and removed from them their youngest child, Edgar Forest Smith. The little one whose age was 3 years, 8 months and 5 days was a member of the Baptist Sunday School. His was an interesting and promising child-life, but now that life has been translated and lifted to grace the Celestial City. The stricken family have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad affliction. Funeral services were held on Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock conducted by pastor A. C. Lathrop, assisted by Rev. J. L. Kreamer. Interment was made in the Advent Cemetery.

—To put the brake on the wagon going down the hill is a help to the horse, when the wagon is heavily loaded. But what driver would think of applying the brake to a loaded wagon going up hill? If he did, his sensible horse would probably balk. Many a man is in the condition of pulling a load up a hill with the brakes set against him. When his stomach is out of order, and the allied organs of digestion and nutrition impaired in their functions, a friction is set up which has to be overcome in addition to the performance of daily duties. A foul stomach makes a foggy brain, and the man with a disordered stomach has often to grope his way through the day's business like a man in a fog. He forgets appointments. Problems seem presented to his mind "wrong end to." This condition is entirely remedied by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It puts the stomach and digestive and nutritive system into a condition of perfect health, and gives a clear brain, a steady hand and a light step for the day's duties. When constipation clogs the channels of the body, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will work an effectual cure of that disastrous disease.

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Markle—Thompson.

On Wednesday at 10 o'clock at the home of Hiram Thompson near State College. Rev. J. O. Dennieton spoke the words that united for life the lives and hearts of James J. Markle and Mr. Thompson's daughter Margaret. The wedding was a quiet one, being attended only by the near relatives of the bride and groom. The bride received many useful and beautiful presents.

After a wedding dinner the young couple said goodbye and started for Bellefonte, where they took the train for Mt. Pleasant, Mich., where Mr. Markle has charge of the Government Indian School, and where they will make their home, Both bride and groom are highly thought of here. The bride has lived a quiet, unassuming life as her widowed father's house-keeper, and will consequently be familiar with the duties of a wife in her own home. The groom is a son of A. F. Markle of State College, and is a graduate of The Pennsylvania State College course in Agriculture, Class of 1903, Before taking his position at Mt. Pleasant he spent a year as Agricultural Fellow at the Experiment Station connected with The Penn'a State College.

UNCLAIMED LETTER LIST.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte Post Office uncalled for Dec. 5th, 1904:

Maude Cox, 2; Hosea Hammond; Benj. Keller; William Utz.

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LEGAL NOTICE

FRANK T. CHASE vs MARY CHASE | In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre Co. No. 141 April Term 1904. Subpoena in Divorce.

To Mary Chase, Respondent:

Please take notice that the undersigned has been appointed an examiner to take the testimony in above stated case and report the same to court. For the purpose of performing the duties of his appointment he will meet all parties in interest at the office of George W. Zeigler, in the Borough of Philipsburg, Centre county, Pa., on Tuesday, Dec. 27th, 1904, at 9 o'clock a. m., where you can appear with your witnesses and be heard, if you so desire.

CLEMENT DALE,
Examiner.

MARY L. HATCH vs JAMES A. HATCH | In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre Co. No. 3, April Term 1904. Subpoena in Divorce.

To James A. Hatch, Respondent:

Please take notice that the undersigned has been appointed an examiner to take the testimony in above stated case and report the same to Court. For the purpose of performing the duties of his appointment he will meet all parties in interest, at the office of George W. Zeigler, Esq., in the Borough of Philipsburg, Centre Co, Pa., on Tuesday, December 27th, 1904, at 11 o'clock, a. m., where you can appear with witnesses and be heard, if you so desire.

CLEMENT DALE.
Examiner.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE—In the Orphan's Court of Centre County. In the matter of the estate of C. M. Bower, late of Bellefonte, deceased. The undersigned an Auditor appointed by said court to pass upon the exceptions filed to the account of Ellen E. Bower and Jno. J. Bower, administrators of etc., and to make distribution of the balance in their hands to and among those legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Bellefonte, Pa., on Tuesday, Dec. 13th, at 10 o'clock a. m., where all parties may attend

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TRADE REVIEW OF THE WEEK

Increased Activity Noted In Many Branches

THE HOLIDAY TRADE

Is Improving Slowly—Weather Conditions Have Had a Good Effect—What R. G. Dun & Co. Say

DEATH OF CHAUNCEY FORWARD BLACK

New York, Dec. 3.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade today says:

Holiday goods are moving freely, and in staple lines there is more activity, even the products that are between seasons finding a fair market. Packing and shipping departments are increasing forces and traffic congestion at several points indicates that the growth of business has overtaxed railway facilities. Weather conditions have favored jobbing and retail distribution of heavy wearing apparel, and also accelerated the marketing of new corn, but there is not sufficient moisture for winter wheat or coke production.

A record breaking yield of cotton is bringing the price nearer the point at which normal consumption may be resumed although there is still much idle machinery at Fall River. Other manufacturing news is most gratifying, especially regarding the leading lines. Structural work increases and car shops are crowded with orders, while many idle steel mills have resumed.

Foreign commerce at this port for the last week shows an increase of $2,304,398 in value of imports as compared with last year and a loss of $2,035,171 in exports. Relations between supply and demand in the iron and steel industry must be largely in favor of the producer when quotations advance steadily without checking distribution. That these are not artificial changes is evidenced by the liberal movement and contracts running into next year indicate that 1905 will establish a remarkable record in this industry.

Eastern footwear factories are placing samples for next fall. Prices are firm. The new lines of heavy weight woolens that have been opened were somewhat disappointing owing to the low prices.

Commercial failures this week in the United States are 245 against 205 last week and 331 the corresponding week last year.

CHAUNCEY F. BLACK.

York, December 3.—Chauncey F. Black, former lieutenant governor of Pennsylvania, died at Brockie, his suburban home, near this city, at 11 o'clock Friday morning. He had been in poor health the past few years, but his condition did not assume a dangerous phase until a month or two ago. For the past two weeks he had declined rapidly.

Mr. Black was the son of the late judge Jere S. Black, and was for many years one of the most conspicuous figures in the democratic party of this state. He was one of the original advocates of the movement that led to the enactment of the Baker ballot act in 1893.

He was born in Somerset county on November 24, 1839, and after he was graduated from Jefferson college he began the study of law in the office of Edwin M. Stanton, the special counsel for the government under Judge Black, who afterwards became secretary of war. After one year spent in Mr. Stanton's office he went to Fayette county, where he was admitted to the bar.

He attended every democratic state convention as a delegate and aided in the drafting of platforms and the framing of party doctrines. He was elected lieutenant governor in 1882 and was defeated for governor by General Beaver four years later. He dropped out of politics a few yeaas ago and has since taken little part.

He has not been in good health for nearly ten years and was rarely seen in public. He is survived by three children, two sons, Derwood and Jere S., and one daughter.

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HUNTERS AND FARMERS HAVE RIGHTS.

Which Each Should Respect In Order to Avoid Trouble.

At this time of year there is apt to be a good deal of friction between gunner and farmer. There should be sympathy for both. That rather amiable weakness in mankind, is recognized, which impels them in season to get out and slaughter birds and beasts of the field. Good men, strong men, and brave men in all ages have been given to that sort of recreation, but there are some men who go out with guns and dogs who are rather inclined to believe or act upon the assumption that the farmer has no rights which they are bound to respect.

The farmer owns the land, he has paid for it, he has a deed for it, and he is entitled to do as he pleases with it, so long as he does not transgress the rights of his neighbors. Nobody has the right to trespass upon his premises or to enter without his permission. Generally he is not disposed to insist too rigidly upon this right. He is inclined to be neighborly and permit the use of his fields for reasonable recreation, and it is very seldom that he complains when he is properly treated and when his rights of ownership is recognized. But there is a class of men who go forth armed with guns who act in most high-handed manner. They are arrogant and insulting and they give not the least recognition to the farmers rights. They will not only shoot the game upon his premises, without permission, but they have even been known to shoot his poultry, and in case of protest, to threaten to shoot the farmer himself.

The country is large, it is not policed, the farmer is busy and has not time to stand guard over his property. It is small wonder, therefore, that when he is treated in the manner mentioned above, by some men who claim to be sportsmen, he would become harsh in his demeanor toward all the men he sees carrying guns. He is scarcely to be blamed, in view of the circumstances, for the hostility which he exhibits in many cases. He is willing enough to be a good fellow in most instances, but he only wants to affiliate with the kind of men who show some evidence of possessing the principle of good fellowship. He has no more fancy for a hoodlum than anybody else.—Centre Reporter.

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Pike Case Set for January Term.

In the matter of the Youngmanstown turnpike, Judge Love set the case at the head of the list for the second week of the January term of court. Action to vacate this pike, between Old Fort and the Union county line in the Penns Valley Narrows, was begun in January, 1903, at which time a petition to vacate was published.

Since that date viewers passed over the road, took testimony, awarded damages in the sum of $3000.

It was from this decision the pike company appealed to court. First, the company asked for a change of venue, which was refused. Later the case was postponed from one court until the next, and so on, until the case reached the present stage, recited in the above paragraph.

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The W. C. T. U.

Thirty-one years ago this month a band of earnest women inaugurated a temperance crusade in the town of Hillsboro, in Southwestern Ohio. This was the germ of an organization which today reaches into all parts of the world, and which may fairly be said to be the most influential force now working in the cause of temperance—the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

When the first convention of the national society assembled in Cleveland in 1874 eighteen states were represented—a remarkable showing, yet hardly to be compared with that being made at Philadelphia in 1904, when delegates from every state in the union are in attendance at the thirty-first annual gathering. It is interesting to recall, at the time when Philadelphia is the host of these banded laborers in the cause of social purity, that the first president of this organization was a Philadelphian—Mrs. Annie Wittenmyer.

Few persons have the temerity to assert that the Woman's Christian Temperance Union has not accomplished great and lasting good. Its tremendous growth, both in membership and influence, has worked in a way too obvious to permit denial of its achievements. But its critics—and they are not few—though deterred from direct assault by the evident impregnability of its frontal position, assail it more or less valiantly in flank and rear.

Thus it is that we frequently hear it said, particularly at the times and places of its conventions that its members would better be about domestic business; that they are so many Mrs. Jellybys luxuriating in efforts to reform an intoxicated Borrioboola-Gha; that they are making themselves conspicuous in an unwomanly manner, and, in short, that the game is not worth the candle.

In the vast majority of cases these accusations are so obviously inspired by sensual selfishness or commercial greed that they are deserving of nothing except silent contempt. Sometimes, however, they come from persons who are honest in their belief that the temperance women are neglecting natural duties for assumed ones—who really find their sense of the eternal fitness of things offended by the efforts of the W. C. T. U.

These sincere persons would do well to make a note of the fact that good women, individually, are the most powerful agents for the spread of sobriety and decency. They should note also that the woman who is not made a better wife and mother by the broadening of her mind in striving against world-wide evils is seldom found outside of the "humorous columns." And they should remember that the best vehicle for the broader application of womanly influnce is organization.—North American.

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Rev. W. T. Manning D. D. of New York Chosen Bishop

HARRISBURG DIOCESE

Is a Native of England—Meeting of the Protestant Episcopal Convention at Lancaster Comes to an End.

BISHOP TALBOT GETS LOVING CUP

Lancaster, Pa., November 30.—At Wednesday morning's session of the Episcopal convention of the diocese of Harrisburg, a committee was appointed consisting of C. LaRue Munson, of Williamsport; J. M. Lambertson, of Harrisburg, and John C. Freese, of Bloomsburg, to secure a charter for the new diocese similar to that of the Central diocese. An important departure will be a change in the law so that the ownership of church property shall not be vested absolutely in the lay members.

The following board of managers was elected: W. F. Reynolds, Bellefonte; George M. Reynolds, Lancaster; W. K. Alricks, Harrisburg; George Greer Hirsh, York; Frank C. Angle, Danville; W. C. Robinson, Williamsport; Rev. F. T. Eastman, Lewistown; Rev. E. M. Eckel, Williamsport.

It was decided to divide the diocese with two archdeaconries. Harrisburg and Williamsport, and that the diocesan board of missions shall consist of the bishop, one clergyman and two laymen from each archdeaconry and two laymen-at-large.

An invitation was accepted to hold the next convention in St. Stephen's church, Harrisburg.

A luncheon was served at noon in the St. James Parish home during which Bishop Talbot was presented with a handsome silver loving cup. The presentation speech was made by James M. Lambertson, of Harrisburg, president of the Church Club of Central Pennsylvania. It was presented on behalf of the members of the club residing in the new diocese of Harrisburg.

After nearly three hours of balloting, and on the ninth poll, Rev. William T. Manning, D. D., vicar of St. Agnes church, Trinity parish, New York city, was elected first bishop of the newly organized Episcopal diocese of Harrisburg.

A committee was appointed to notify Mr. Manning and to arrange for his consecration. The convention then adjourned.

The new bishop is 40 years of age and a native of England. He came to this country when a boy of ten. Dr. Manning was educated at Sewanee university, Tennessee, and has filled charges at Redlands, California; Philadelphia (Christ church), and Nashville, Tenn. He is married.

The only other business of importance transacted Wednesday afternoon was the election of the following standing committee:

The Rev. Leroy F. Baker, Harrisburg; Rev. Walter R. Breed, Lancaster; Rev. George I. Brown, Bellefonte; Rev. Charles Morrison, Sunbury; Rev. William F. Shero, Lancaster; Levi B. Alricks, Harrisburg; Ivanhoe S. Huber, Bellefonte; H. B. Meredith, Danville; Benjamin F. Meyers, Harrisburg; H. M. North, Columbia.

Mothers be Careful.

Of the health of your children. Look out for Cough, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. Stop them in time.—One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy. Harmless and pleasant. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

An Important Real Estate Deal.

We hear it rumored that Samuel Rodgers has purchased the Coal Exchange hotel including the real estate and furniture. This is one of the most desirable hotel stands in Philipsburg, and we congratulate Mr. Rodgers in acquiring this valuable property. Mr. Rogers is well acquainted with the hotel business and will make good "Mine host." He is an old resident of this place with lots of friends and the management of this fine hotel property will be in line with his tastes. Mr. Walton will retire from the business His interests outside takes up about all his time. We understand Mr Rogers will take possession and assume charge as soon as the title papers can be prepared and the license transferred.—Philipsburg Journal.

A Thousand Dollars Worth of Goods.

A. H. Thurnes, a well known coal operator of Buffalo, N. Y., writes: "I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble for years, passing gravel or stones with excruciating pain. I got no relief from medicines until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick dust like fine stones and now I have no pain across my kidneys and I feel like a new man. It has done me a $1000 worth of good." For sale by C. M. Parrish.

REPORT OF GRAND JURY.

Court for November is Over and Very Few Important Cases Tried.

The court discharged the Grand Jury Wednesday forenoon after they had handed in the following report:

To the Hon. John G. Love, P. J., of the Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for Centre county, Penna.

NOVEMBER TERM, 1904

The Grand Jury of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania inquiring in and for the county of Centre in all matters relating to the same would respectfully report:

That they have acted on 17 bills of indictment of which 14 were found true bills and that they ignored three bills.

They further reported that they examined the public buildings and find them in good repair with the following exceptions, and they recommend that the floor in the balcony in the jail be repaired; also the steps leading to the balcony; that the wall in the jail yard needs a new coat of cement; that the residence part of the jail be papered; that additional files be provided for the filing of documents, etc., in the County Commissioners offices; that the ladies' waiting room in the Court House be repaired; that the tileing in the Register's and Recorder's offices be relaid.

They also reported that they approved two bridge views, to wit: The one over the bridge on West High street, near the P. R. R. station, in Bellefonte borough, and one across Buffalo run, on the road leading from Bellefonte to Coleville.

They also extended their thanks to His Honor, Judge Love, and to District Attorney Spangler for the courtesies extended to them during their deliberations.

H. E ZIMMERMAN, Foreman.

—Foley's Honey and Tar positively cures all throat and lung diseases. Refuse substitutes. For sale by C. M. Parrish.

Attended to Bruin.

Daniel Fisher, a resident of Tyrone, gives evidence of having a successful hunting expedition Tuesday. On a hook in front of the Green Front Market, corner Eleventh avenue and Eleventh street, was displayed yesterday a large black bear which was shot by Mr. Fisher along the Jamesville road, three miles from Tyrone.

Mr. Fisher said that as he was going along the road Mr. Bruin walked out from the bushes on his hind haunches and made for him. On sight of the bear he leveled his gun and fired. Just as he did this bruin turned, intending to run away, but was too late. The ball struck him in the back of the head killing him instantly. The bear is a fine one. It is covered with a thick coat of jet black hair and measures six feet, the length of the body to the tip of the nose.

Report from the Reformed School.

J. G. Gluck, Superintendent, Pruntytown, W. Va., writes: "After trying all other advertised cough medicines we have decided to use Foley's Honey and Tar exclusively in the West Virginia Reformed School. I find it the most effective and absolutely harmless. For sale by C. M. Parrish.

Redced Rates to Erie.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the meeting of the Pennsylvania State Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, to be held at Erie, Dec. 13 to 16, the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., will sell round-trip tickets to Erie from all stations on its lines in the State of Pennsylvania, Dec. 12 to 15, good to return until Dec. 17, inclusive, at reduced rates (minimum rate, 25 cents.)

Of Interest to Carpenters.

The Gage Tool Co. of Vineland, N. J. makers of the celebrated S. S. Plain will send a first class carpenter pencil to carpenters sending them their name and address together with the names of 5 Carpenter friends.

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THE GINGER JAR.

The Judge's Consolation.

His official recognition to the mighty exposition
The President felt in his heart that he must surely give.
As the leader of the Nation he knew well his occupation,
And that without his presence exhibitions cannot live.

Therefore, on an evening murky, half-devoured he left his turkey.
And with mackintosh and rubbers ston, braved cold and wind and rain.
With courage that was hearty, he collected quite a party
And hustled to get aboard the gilded special train.

When the leader of the Nation left the noisy railroad station,
Do you think he was allowed to rest all peaceful in his berth?
If you do you're quite mistaken, for each time they put the brake on
His car was quite surrounded with the natives of the earth,

Each of whom was bound on taking his respected hand and shaking
It until that powerful member was 'most ready to drop off.
And he had to do some talking, though he felt much more like balking.
Till his voice was hoarse and hurtful and the cinders made him cough.

But he was in fine condition, so he reached the exposition
Slightly weary, but possessing still a modicum of strength.
Which for him was very lucky, as it takes a man that's plucky
To do what was done for him and go the bitter length.

For he had no chance for slumber, while committees without number
Dragged him 'round in all directions through the buildings and the grounds,
And in just exactly two days, which for him must have been blue days,
He had traveled several thousand miles and made the entire rounds.

Then upon the homeward journey, although travel-stained and worn he
Had to make a speech at every water tank the special stopped;
And when the talk was finished, ere the cheering had diminished,
A parting gift, a live raccoon or bull-dog always dropped.

On the other hand, Judge Parker, sitting in a room made darker,
By rows of Coke and Blackstone and the others on his list.
We cannot refrain from thinking must be very slowly winking
As he reads of all the strenuous deeds he luckily has missed.

What Occurred.

The injured aeronaut awoke after four hours of unconsciousness.

"What happened?" he asked, as the hospital attendant bent over him. "Did some one heave the earth up at me?"

"No," replied the nurse. "You took a knock-out drop, that's all."

Then his mind made another ascension.

Much in Evidence.

"At any rate," said the man who was bound to be optimistic, "Judge Parker has quietly gone back to work. He knows when he is beaten."

"Well, unless he's blind," replied the enthusiast, "he can't very well help noticing the black and blue spots."

Modest But Expensive.

"Lend me five, old boy."

"Can't do it, Charley. Any other time, but I've only got twenty-five and I'm going to take Millie Tightous, of the Variety Theatre, out to a very quiet, plain little supper this evening."

Involuntary.

Grace—Did any one ever try to hug you?

Ethel—No.

Grace—Then you don't know what it is to have a man's arm around you?

Ethel—Oh, yes; I go home on the Gilbert avenue line between 5 and 6 every evening.

Ignorance Exposed.

There was a young man from Malino
Who looked like a perfect Albino.
When asked why his hair
Was so fearfully fair,
His hasty reply was "Damfino."

The World's Fair.

It's queer how intelligent a girl's shoe is in never coming untied except when she has on her best pair of stockings.

Women with black eyes are most attractive; at any rate, when there are none with blue or gray eyes around.

Looking glasses may breed vanity, but they are not so harmful as the kind of glasses you look through the bottom of.

If a young wife's bread were cast upon the waters it would, indeed, be many days before it returned, as the stream would have to dry up first.

A girl appreciates flattery, even when she feels it is not sincere, because she knows it is all true, anyway.

Foley's Honey and Tar for children, safe, sure. No opiates. C. M. Parrish.

The Pace That Tells.

In the six day bicycle races the pace tells terribly at the end. Man after man falls out exhausted. The victor wabbles wearily over the line. In the business race it's the same. Man after man drops out exhausted. The successful man is often a dyspeptic, unable to enjoy success. When the stomach is diseased there is not enough nutrition assimilated to sustain the body and repair the daily waste of tissues. The result is weakness, tending to collapse.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enables the perfect assimilation of food by which the body is built up with sound, healthy flesh.

"I have taken one bottle of Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for indigestion and liver complaint," writes Mr. C. M. Wilson, of Yadkin College, Davidson Co., N. C. "Have had no bad spells since I commenced taking your medicine—in fact, have not felt like the same man. Before I took the 'Golden Medical Discovery' I could not eat anything without awful distress, but now I can eat anything I wish without having unpleasant feelings. Last summer our baby was teething and was so poor he was almost a skeleton. We gave him your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and now he is as healthy and well as any child. I will speak a good word for your medicine whenever I have an opportunity."

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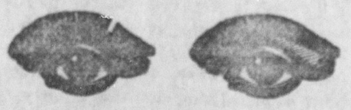

Eye Specialist!

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Thursday, Dec. 15th

All day and evening.

Prof. J. Angel, the well known eye specialist of Williamsport, who has established a large practice here for a number of years, will make his regular monthly visit.

Prof. Angel, who has helped weak eyes and gave relief to thousands of headache sufferers in this county, will be glad to meet his old patients and new alike. All persons, including children, suffering with headache, weak eyes, defective eye sight or cross eyes, who wish good results and desire to save money, will do well to call on Prof. Angel at the Brockerhoff House, Thursday Dec. 15th.

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SNOW SHOE BRANCH—DAILY EXCEP Sunday—In effect May 25 1903.

a m		STATIONS.	p m
11 26	7 27	Arrive Snow Shoe Leave	7 30
10 50	6 05	Snow Shoe Intersection	6 15
10 01	5 20	Milesburg	5 15
9 00	4 40	Leave Bellefonte Arrive	4 20

RAILROAD GUIDE

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD, Schedule in effect Jan 31 1904

Via Tyrone—Westward

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.05 a m, at Altoona 1 p m, at Pittsburg 5.50 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.10 p m, at Altoona 3.10 p m, at Pittsburg 6.55 p m

Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Altoona 7.05 p m, at Pittsburg 10 50 p m

Via Tyrone—Eastward,

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.05, at Harrisburg 2.40 p m, at Philadelphia 5.47 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.10 p m, at Harrisburg 6.35 p m, at Philadelphia 10.47 p m

Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Harrisburg 10.00 p m, at Philadelphia 4.23 a m.

Via Lock Haven—Westward.

Leave Bellefonte 1.25 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.10 p m, at Buffalo 7.40 p m

Via Lock Haven—Eastward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.30 a m, leave Williamsport 12.35 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.20 p m, at Philadelphia at 6.23 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.25 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.10 p m, leave Williamsport 2.55 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 5.00 p m, Philadelphia 7.32 p m

Leave Bellefonte 8 16 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 9.15 p m, leave Williamsport 1.35 m, arrive at Harrisburg 4.15 a m, arrive at Philadelphia 7.17 a m

Via Lewisburg

Leave Bellefonte at 6.40 a m, arrive at Lewisburg at 9.05 a m, Montandon 9.15 a m, Harrisburg 11.30 a m, Philadelphia 3.17 p m.

Leave Bellefonte 2.00 p m, arrive at Lewisburg 4.25, at Harrisburg 6.50 p m, Philadelphia at 10.47 p m

For full information, time tables, map, fare, &c., call on Ticket Agents, or address Thos. E. Watt, Pass. Agent Western District No. 360 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg.

J. R. WOOD, Pass. Traffic Mgr.
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BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after Monday, October 17th, 1904, trains will run as follows from P.R.R. stations:

WESTWARD.				EASTWARD.		
1† Acom.	3† Exp.	5† Mail.		2† Mail.	4† Exp.	6 Acom.
A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	Lv.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6 30	10 30	4 00	Bellefonte	8 50	2 25	6 36
6 35	10 37	4 07	Coleville	8 45	2 10	6 15
f6 38	10 42	4 10	Morris	f8 37	f2 07	6 12
f6 43	f10 47	15	Stevens	f8 35	f2 02	6 08
			Lime Centre			
f6 46	f10 51	4 18	Hun'rs Park	f8 31	1 55	6 05
f6 50	f10 59	4 21	Fillmore	f8 28	f1 51	6 03
f6 55	f11 02	4 25	Briarly	f8 24	f1 45	5 59
7 00	1 105	4 28	Waddles	8 20	1 40	5 55
f7 12	f11 20	4 40	Krumrine	f8 07	f1 22	5 37
7 25	11 35	4 45	State College	8 00	1 15	5 30
f7 27		4 50	Strubles	f7 45		5 10
f7 31		4 55	Bloomsdorf	f7 40		5 05
7 35		5 00	P. G. Mills	7 35		5 00

Morning trains from Montandon, Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 3 and 5 for State College. Afternoon trains from Montandon, Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 5 for State College. Trains from State College connect with Penna R R trains at Bellefonte for points east and west.

†Stop on flag
‡Daily except Sunday

P. H. THOMAS, Sup.

BALD EAGLE VALLEY—PENNSYLVANIA Railroad Division. Daily except Sunday. Schedule in effect on and after May 24, 1903

Westward.				Eastward.		
55	53	51		50	52	54
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m
5 45	12 10	8 55	Lock Haven	10 30	2 10	9 15
5 51	12 16	9 01	Mill Hall	10 22	2 05	9 05
6 02	12 26	9 12	Beech Creek	10 11	1 55	8 55
6 06	12 29	9 15	Eagleville	10 08	1 47	8 50
6 14	12 38	9 24	Howard	9 59	1 47	8 40
6 20		9 30	Mount Eagle	9 53	1 38	8 34
6 25	12 48	9 34	Curtin	9 49	1 30	8 29
6 32	12 55	9 41	Milesburg	9 41	1 24	8 22
6 44	1 05	9 53	Bellefonte,	9 32	12 0	8 10
6 49	1 14	10 01	Milesburg	9 18	1 24	8 0
6 56	1 17	10 04	Snow Shoe Int	9 15	1 17	8 0
7 02	1 22	10 11	Unionville	9 07	1 12	7 5
7 12	1 28	10 20	Julian	8 58	1 06	7
7 21	1 34	10 28	Martha	8 49	1 00	
7 28	1 40	10 35	Port Matilda	8 43	12 55	
7 35	1 46	10 41	Hannah	8 37	12 9	
7 37		10 43	Fowler	8 32		7 2
7 42		10 48	Dix	8 30		7 2
7 46	1 56	10 51	Bald Eagle	8 24	12 36	7 1
7 50	2 00	10 55	Vail	8 20	12 35	7 1
7 54	2 04	10 59	East Tyrone	8 16	12 26	7 0
8 00	2 10	11 05	Tyrone	8 10	12 25	7 0
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m

Nos. 50 and 55 will run daily.

TYRONE AND CLEARFIELD RAILROAD Time table in effect May 24, 1903

NORTHWARD.				SOUTHWARD.		
MAIL.	DAY EXPRESS.	EXPRESS.	STATIONS	EXPRESS.	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.
P M	P M	A M	Lv Ar	P M	A M	P M
6 50	3 56	8 20	Tyrone	8 55	11 20	5 10
6 56	3 31	8 26	East Tyrone	8 49	11 14	5 2
6 58		8 28	Tyrone S		11 12	5 2
7 01	3 35	8 31	Vail	8 45	11 09	5
7 11	3 46	8 42	Vanscoyoc	8 38	11 02	5 1
7 15	3 50	8 47	Gardner	8 35	10 59	5 1
7 24	3 59	8 57	Mt. Pleasant	8 27	10 51	5
7 30	4 06	9 05	Summit	8 20	10 44	
7 34	4 10	9 09	Sandy Ridge	8 14	10 38	4 5
7 39	4 12	9 11	Retort	8 11	10 35	4 5
7 38	4 14	9 12	Powelton	8 09	10 33	4 5
7 48	4 24	9 21	Osceola	7 59	10 23	4 4
	4 25		Osceola Junct		10 20	4 4
7 54	4 33	9 26	Boynton	7 54	10 17	4 3
7 58	4 37	9 30	Steiners	7 50	10 13	4 2
8 02	4 40	9 40	Philipsburg	7 48	10 12	4 2
8 06	4 45	9 45	Graham	7 42	10 07	4 2
8 11	4 50	9 50	Blue Ball	7 37	10 02	4 1
8 17	4 56	9 56	Wallaceton	7 32	9 56	4 0
8 22	5 02	10 02	Bigler	7 28	9 50	4 0
8 28	5 08	10 09	Woodland	7 20	9 43	3 5
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LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD In effect May 24, 1903.

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1 38	5 40	Montandon	9 15		4
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2 08	6 56	Millinburg	8 45		4 1
2 20	7 07	Millmont	8 33		3 5
2 28	7 13	Glen Iron	8 26		3 4
2 50	7 40	Paddy Mountain	8 00		3 2
3 10	7 50	Coburn	7 50		3 1
3 16	7 57	Zerby	7 43		3 0
3 26	8 06	Rising Spring	7 33		2 5
3 32	8 11	Penns Cave	7 28		2 4
3 38	8 18	Centre Hall	7 22		2 4
3 45	8 24	Gregg	7 17		2 3
3 52	8 31	Linden Hall	7 10		2 2
3 56	8 35	Oak Hall	7 06		2 1
4 00	8 39	Lemont	7 02		2 1
4 04	8 43	Dale Summit	6 57		2 1
4 12	8 52	Pleasant Gap	6 48		2 0
4 16	8 55	Axemann	6 45		2 0
4 20	9 00	Bellefonte	6 40		2 0

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA. Condensed Time Table.

READ DOWN.				READ UP		
No. 1	No. 5	No. 3		No. 6	No. 2	No. 4
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†7 00	†6 40	†2 30	Bellefonte	9 35	9 25	5 10
7 11	6 51	2 41	High	9 22	9 22	4 57
7 16	6 56	2 46	Zion	9 18	9 16	4 51
7 28	7 03	2 53	Hecla Park	9 10	9 10	4 45
7 25	7 05	2 55	Dunkles	9 08	9 07	4 42
7 29	7 09	2 59	Hublersburg	9 04	9 03	4 38
7 33	7 14	3 03	Snydertown	9 01	8 59	4 34
7 35	7 16	3 05	Nittany	8 59	8 56	4 31
7 37	7 19	3 07	Huston	8 57	8 54	4 28
7 41	7 23	3 11	Lamar	8 54	8 50	4 25
7 48	7 26	3 16	Clintondale	8 51	8 47	4 23
7 47	7 25	3 17	Krider's S'p'g	8 47	8 43	4 18
7 51	7 33	3 21	Mackeyville	8 43	8 39	4 13
7 57	7 39	3 27	Cedar Springs	8 37	8 33	4 07
8 00	7 42	3 30	Salona	8 35	8 30	4 05
8 05	7 47	3 35	Mill Hall	†8 30	†8 25	†4 00
			(NEW YORK CENT.)			
			Jersey Shore		7 40	3 15
11 45	8 38		Arr WILLIAMSPORT Lve	†7 10	†7 05	†3 45
12 00	8 50		Lve WILLIAMSPORT Arr	6 50		3 30
12 20	11 30		(PHILA AND READING RY.)			
			PHILA.	11 30		†2 20
7 30	6 50		NEW YORK	†7 30		†4 30
10 40	20 02		(Via Phila)			
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*Daily. †Week Days. ‡ 6 50 p. m. Sunday ‡ 10 55 a. m. Sunday.

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J. W. GEPHART, General Superintendent

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The Bellefonte Republican

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EARLE C. TUTEN.

BRIEF MENTION

Short Items of Local Interest Gathered By The Way Side

—Winter is here at last.

—Turkeys retailed at thirty cents in Philadelphia before Thanksgiving, and hen's eggs sold for forty cents per dozen.

—We are very glad to see that our friend Daley Justice who has been laid up for the past ten days with pneumonia is able to be about again.

—Conductor William Daley, who was injured at the Nittany Furnace Friday Nov. 25 is getting along very nicely and will soon be able to leave the hospital.

—John N, Bauer has resigned his position with R. S. Brouse, the grocer, and will open a produce market in the room in the Sands building next door to Richards jewelry store.

—The marriage of James Callahan, of Pleasant Gap, and Miss Lulu Dubbs, of near Centre Hall, took place Wednesday evening Nov 30, at the residence of Fergus Potter, Esq., near Linden Hall, the ceremony being performed by that justice.

—Wednesday afternoon Nov. 30 sparks from a boiler set fire to the D. R. Wilson stable roof at Howard, the stable is occupied by John Robb as a livery, the fire was discovered on the roof by Mr. John Holmes, who with a few other men and several buckets of water put it out just as our fire men arrived. The loss is too small to mention.—Howard Hustler.

—Mrs. Evelyn, wife of B. F. Schweyer, editor of the Juniata Sentinel and Republican, Mifflintown, died Saturday Nov. 26, after a prolonged illness. It is said of her that she was a woman of high christian character, embracing those qualities essential in pure, noble and good life, having had a beautiful disposition and being widely respected.

—The oldest workshop in Europe, it is believed, has been unearthed at Winznan, Switzerland. It is in the Cave of Koesloch, which seems to have been inhabited before the Neolithic epoch and to have been constantly tenanted from 3000 to 1000 B. C. The remains not only include stone instruments and pieces of decorated vases and oyster shells, but many bones, of men, ruminants and wild animals.

—On Monday evening Nov. 28 the youngest child of Isaac Rice, near Zion, met with quite a serious accident. There was a pot of hot coffee standing on the table and the little fellow climbed up and upset the coffee, the steaming fluid drenching him from the waist down. The child was terribly burned and his condition quite serious but he is improving slowly now.

—More than 1,000 children and great grandchildren mourn the death of William Rice, 78 years old, who was buried the other day at New Bloomfield. Mr. Rice was the father of eleven children. Each child married and their families increased rapidly. A number of the grand children also married and had big families. When a count was taken it was found that the Rice family composed more than 1,000 persons.

—Not content with the hunting grounds on the Seven Mountains Messrs. W. H. Lucas and H. F. Musser, of near Centre Hill; W. O, Rearick, of Milroy, and Rev. W. W. Rhoads, of Mexico, Juniata county, hunted over a large territory on the Allegheny Mountains, between November 10th and 24th. Their luck was one dear killed by H. F. Musser. They opened their campaign in the mountains near Glenn Union.—Centre Reporter.

—Mrs. H. F. Kessinger, who has been ill for some time with consumption, died on Tuesday Nov. 29, and was buried on Thursday Dec. 1 in the family cemetery at Eagleville. She was a very estimable lady, beloved by all who knew her, and will be greatly missed in the home as no one can ever take the place of a mother. She leaves to mourn their loss a husband and five children, three sons and two daughters, one son preceded her to the grave several years ago. She was aged 44 years, six months and seventeen days. Howard Hustler.

—The Katherine Ridgeway Concert company, the opening attraction of the Star Course, pleased a large audience at Petrikin Hall Friday night. Miss Ridgeway herself captivated her hearers by her ability as a reciter and she was compelled to respond to repeated encores. One could write columns on her work and then not say too much about her. Suffice it is to say she stands without a peer. Miss Nellie Mae Brewster, the soprano, has a beautiful voice of great flexibility and sweetness. Mr. Kerr sang with a a voice that fairly charmed his hearers. Mr. Lambersen, the pianist, has an artistic touch that soon aroused the enthusiasm of his audience. No one will ever regret patronizing the Star Course this year if the other attractions are as good as the first.

—H. C. Quigley, who has been on the sick list for some time, has so far recovered as to be able to be out for a short while at a time.

—Prothonotary-elect Arthur Kimport has rented the Pruner home on South Pine street and will occupy it with his family after January 1, 1905.

—Miss Helen Otto, of this place, who was taken to a private hospital in Philadelphia suffering with appendicitis, was successfully operated on Tuesday afternoon.

—The Panther hunting club returned home from their ten days hunt in the Alleghenies with four deer and a large amount of smaller game. The largest one was killed by John McGinley and the others by Jack Decker, Linn McGinley and Maurie Jackson, respectively.

—The Bellefonte fish hatchery up to last Saturday, has received four million trout eggs, this fall, which will be a turnout of about that many little trout for next spring's distribution.

—John Sampsel, of Axe Mann, on Friday slaughtered a large porker, which was estimated by the headbutcher, Samuel Markle, would weigh dressed 575 pounds. Big grunter, that.

—A car load of heavy draft horses were shipped to the Brooklyn market recently from Centre Hall. The average price paid was $141.35. On the other hand many carloads of draft horses have been shipped from the West into Pennsylvania.

—The brick works at Howard are in course of erection. Men are busy putting up the machinery, preparations for the building of the tram road are under way, ties etc., are being hauled, the water way is about completed, the main building, which is a large one, is up and ready for the roof.

—Special meetings are being held in the Baptist church at Milesburg every evening. Pastor Lathrop is being assisted by Evangelist Rev. Jno. L. Kreamer, of Germantown, who both preaches and sings the gospel. The public are cordially invited to these meetings which will continue nightly.

—The average person is laying aside a little extra change for the approaching holiday season, which is very commendable. While doing this, however, bear in mind that the printer is dependent upon the subscription due and over-due to meet his monthly bills, which invariably must by paid in advance.

—Charles Moerschlercher, of Freeland, Luzerne county, took charge Tuesday of the wholesale beer business which he recently purchased from Jesse Cox. The latter has consented to stay with the new proprietor for a little while and manage the pool room and restaurant for him until he learns the ropes.

—The teachers' local institute for district No. 2, comprised of Centre Hall and State College boroughs, Potter Ferguson and College townships, will be held in Centre Hall, Friday and Saturday, February 2nd and 3rd. The program committee is as follows: S. W. Gramley, Centre Hall; Henry M. Hosterman, Boalsburg; Miss Effie C. Snyder, State College.

—W. Harrison Walker, Esq., has rented the brick office building owned by the Y. M, C. A., on High street and formerly occupied by the law firm of Blanchard & Blanchard and will occupy the same after December 15, 1904. The Y. M. C. A., will occupy temporary quarters in the Allison building formerly occupied by the W. C. T. U., until their new building is ready.

—The roof of the dwelling house of Jacob Walker, west of Centre Hall, was discovered to be on fire by someone who was passing along on the road, one day last week. No one was at home except the ladies of the house, who with the assistance of the passers by, succeeded in extinguishing the flames before much damage was done. It was supposed the fire was caused by a spark from the chimney.

—The Secretary of State, in a communication to the Department of Commerce and Labor, states that he has been informed that the English Parliament has passed an act prohibiting the further use of the English hall-mark on American made silverware. Agitation in favor of the passage of the measure has been carried on for several years. It was asserted that an enormous quantity of American-made silverware was sent to England for hall-marking with the English lion, so that it could be passed off elsewhere as English-made. The use of the hall-mark on silverware made elsewhere will in the future be illegal.

—William Sweeney of Potter's Mills was surely surprised last Saturday evening Nov. 26 when he entered his house and found about forty of his friends ready to greet him, and congratulate him on his thirty-ninth birthday. Mr. Sweeney's wife had the whole matter set up and it worked like a charm; he received many presents, some of which were cash. The music was furnished by the Potters Mills orchestra and William McKinney, with his famous graphophone, which rendered some comic pieces and kept the party in a jolly mood until cakes came round, which were many and of various kinds. At eleven o'clock all returned to their homes, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney many happy days.

—John Derstine, of East Lamb St., is having a new porch added to the rear of his house.

—Boyd Nolan, messenger boy for the Postal Telegraph Co., is sporting a brand new cap.

—The third quarterly conference will be held in the Methodist church this evening at 8 o'clock.

—The Thanksgiving Day offering to the Bellefonte Hospital from St. John's Episcopal church was $18.54.

—The Thanksgiving Day offering from the Union service in the Presbyterian church to the Bellefonte Hospital was $11.34

—The Clearfield Methodists have sold their parsonage to John Dimeling for $9,500. It is a fine property, but its site didn't suit the congregation,

—D. M. Houser, of Houserville, had a butchering last week at which he killed three last spring hogs out of which he got 419 pounds of lard.

MARRIED.—Herbert McCoy, of Bellefonte, and Miss Bertha Hetzel, of Lock Haven, were married Saturday at Lock Haven by Rev. Father Louis M. Maucher.

—The J. C. Lewis "Si Plunkard" company pleased a fair sized audience at Garmans Opera house Monday night. The orchestra was one of the finest ever listened to in this Opera house.

—David Wagner, of Houserville, killed a hog one day last week that weighed 534 pounds. No danger of his family coming to want this winter.

—Geo. Keller, of Houserville who had been ill all summer, has gone to a New York hospital for treatment. He owns the woolen mills at Houserville,

—Mrs. Parsons, of Paradise, died last Thursday and was buried on Saturday at Dix Run. She was 85 years of age. She resided with her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Way

—The largest deer taken in Central Pennsylvania this season, was a nine prong buck, dressing over 200 pounds which William Wagner, of Lycoming county, brought on Wednesday, the last day of the season.

—We are indebted to Jno. T. Neff, of Milesburg, agent for the Prudential Life Insurance Co., for a very beautiful calendar for 1905. It is a work of art and makes a good picture for framing.

—A surprise party was held by about sixty of Joseph Markle's friends for him on Nov. 11th, his forty-seventh birthday at his home in State College. The surprise was complete, but being a solid man he stood it pretty well, not only at first during the jollity, but when they afterwards presented to him the bill for the oysters they ate at supper. This, of course, was agreeable to Mr. Markle, for it was his "treat."

—Miss Anna Laura Rumbarger, of Fleming, took part in a recital given by the Broad Street Conservatory of Music, 1329-31 S. Broad St. Philadelphia, of which Gilbert R. Combs is director, Wednesday evening November 23, in the Concert Hall of the Conservatory. Miss Rumbarger sang Schubert's "Wanderer's Song" with much feeling and expression. Her intonation being good and phrasing most excellent.

—An exhibit at the recent meeting of the Society of German plumbers which attracted considerable attention was that showing an invention of Chemist Blau, of Augsburg, Germany, for the manufacture of fluid gas from the residum of petroleum and heavy mineral oils. The inventor says this gas may be manufactured very cheaply where there is an abundance of petroleum, and that it may be transported from one place to another in cylinders as easily as carbonic acid gas. The gas may be used for lighting churches, halls and detached buildings, and small tanks may be used in lighting automobiles. The Blau gas makes a very brilliant light for street lighting, and is very difficult to explode,

—General passenger traffic on the Siberian railway at present is open only to Irkutsk. Beyond that the railway is used entirely for military purposes. The circle track around Lake Baikal, from Irkutsk to Missovais, the construction of which was commenced in 1899, was finished in September. The building of this road was one of the most difficult known in European railway construction. On the western part of the road thirty-three tunnels had to be cut. The road has cost, up to the present time, $26,841,000, or $164,836.75 per mile. To this amount must be added $3,372,5000, expenses for the last few months, for maintenance of the administration of the road, and the acquisition of ice-breaking steamers.

—Moffat Ford, the expert motorist of London, has made an invention that is likely to prove a very mixed blessing, if it ever comes into general use. Mr. Ford has seemingly suffered, as have many millions of non-motorists, from the ear-splitting "honk" emitted from the present motor horn, and he proposes to remedy this by substituting a musical motor-horn. The fact that by it the motorist can give warning on notes sliding up and down the scale does not at first sight recommend it, but the effect is not at all bad—decidedly better, in fact, that the monotonous foghorn noise we have so long been accustomed to. But, of course, everything will depend upon the instrument being properly tuned and kept in tune.

—The Adams Express Company have received a new horse for use in their express wagon at this place. It is a very handsome animal and weighs 1360 lbs. Agent Taylor is very proud of the new horse and is confident the big fellow can "deliver the goods."

—Last week checks were received by the Y. M. C. A. for their building fund from by Platt-Barber & Co. and Hon. H. Kirk Porter, of Pittsburg, for $100 each. Both Mr. Porter and Mr. Platt spoke very highly of the work of the Association and commended the present movement for a building.

—Prof. J. Angel, of Williamsport, the famous eye specialist will be at the Brockerhoff House all day and evening December 15. He has been coming here for a number of years and has established a large practice. He has relieved thousands of people suffering with weak eyes and he can help you. Consult him when he comes.

—A patent was recently granted James Seibert, of this place, for an improvement on power belve hammers by which the arm is made more durable. The beam has a joint and is cushioned so as to relieve the parts from severe strains and great wear. The new hammers manufactured at Lingle's shops all have this appliance and it is a great improvement.

—George Spangler and 12 year old son, Christ Bechdel and Oley Wantz have just returned from a hunting trip with three deer and 35 rabbits. The 12 year old boy had jumped upon a log to look for his father when he spied a large buck, which he shot with his little rifle, the ball hit the deers heart and killed it.—Howard Hustler.

—The Singer Manufacturing Co. has rented a new location on the corner of Allegheny and Bishop Sts. This is one of the best locations in the city and we all wish the Singer success in the field, Mr. Jno. I. Kane, the sole agent of the company, says he is going to sell at reduced rates until after the Holidays.

—According to an official return just issued, the grand total of motor cycles registered in the United Kingdom was 31,425. In England and Wales there were 14,772 motor cycles and 13,055 motor cars in Scotland 806 of the former and 1,905 of the latter; while in Ireland the numbers were 897 and 548 respectively. The number of licenses granted were 40,500.

—Yawning fissures that have recently occurred at the foot of the Cape Diamond promontory on the St. Lawrence at Quebec have caused an investigation by the Department of the Interior. It is feared that another avalanche of rock may take place. The last one occurred in 1889, when several lives were lost. The present fissures are daily growing in number and size. It is feared that the King's Bastion is in danger. A number of the Dominion Geological Survey staff have already made an examination.

—Constables are liable to fine and imprisonment in cases where they neglect or refuse to enforce the game laws after their attention has been called to the matter in writing, by any citizen giving the name of the offender together with the names of the witness. Any citizen of the Commonwealth has the right to prosecute for violation of the game and fish laws, and is entitled to one-half of all penalties recovered. The pot hunter will have to be careful if he succeeds in violating the game laws without being caught.

—Merchant John Meese met with quite a serious accident Tuesday evening while in his store on South Allegheny street. There was a bag of sugar standing at one end of a counter and in passing around it his foot tripped on the bag of sugar and he was thrown violently to the floor, his face striking against a sugar bin. The ligaments in his shoulder were wrenched, his nose hurt and eye blacked. As a result he was confined to his home for several days last week but is we are pleased to say able to be about again.

—Brick making at the State College Brick Co's. plant near Pine Hall is now over for the season. Eight hundred thousand bricks were made. This is good work when the time for getting the plant into operation for the first time is consider. The stockholders are now preparing to install new brick appliances, so as to be ready to start early next season, during which they count on producing about two million bricks. The product of the last season, which may be thought large for a plant in the country, was nevertheless nearly all sold in State College or the immediate vicinity.

—The Altoona city councils last evening adopted ordinances by a unanimous vote authorizing the water commissioners of the city "to agree with the owner or owners of the Tipton Coal Co., on a price for the purchase of certain lands located in Antis Twp., Blair county, Pa. for the purpose of securing the stream or streams of water rising upon or flowing through said tracts of land and upon failure thereof, to direct the city solicitor to take the same in the name of the city by condemnation proceedings." The purchase of land was also authorized, on which to construct reservoirs for the impounding of water for the city.

PERSONALS

Short But Newsy Personals of Those Who Come And Go.

Wm. Farbor, of Scotia, attended court last week.

Hon. John A. Woodward, of Howard, was a visitor in town Thursday.

A. A. Stevens, Esq., of Tyrone, was a business visitor in town Monday.

Wilbur F. Harris, of Harrisburg, was a business visitor in Bellefonte last week.

George H. Smull, of Smullton, transacted business in Bellefonte on Saturday.

Clarence Rumberger, of Tyrone, is visiting his father, W. F. Rumberger of Fillmore.

John Hoffer, of Philipsburg, is visiting friends in Bellefonte and State College.

Internal Revenue Collector Geo. W. Rees transacted business in Renova Monday.

John P. Harris returned home Thursday morning from a business trip to eastern cities.

Joseph Emerick, a representative citizen of Nittany was a business visitor in town on Saturday.

Miss Romie VanPelt, of Centre Hall, is the guest of Bellefonte friends and relatives this week.

Ben Aikey and Roland Miller, of Bellefonte, left for Philipsburg Tuesday morning on a business trip.

Frank McCoy, of Potters Mills, was a pleasant caller at the Republican office while in town Saturday.

Mrs. Campbell, of Punxsutawney, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James K. Barnhart, of this place.

John Curtin, of Bellefonte, transacted business in Lock Haven Saturday says the Express of that city.

Joseph L. Montgomery has returned home from Lancaster, where he attended the Episcopal convention.

Elmer Yeager, who has been working in Clearfield for some time past, is at home for a short vacation.

Mrs. John D. Sourbeck has returned home from a visit to her son, Harrie, at St. Francis College, Brooklyn.

Herbert Sheffer, of Pittsburg, representative of the Fairbanks Scale Co., was a Bellefonte arrival Tuesday.

Lafayette Mullholland left Wednesday for Curwensville, where he will spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Stover.

Mrs. D. W. Keller and two children, of Beaver Falls, are visiting relatives in this place. They expect to stay two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Munson have returned home from a visit to Philadelphia where they spent the Thanksgiving season.

William Cunningham, foreman in one of the large brick works at Philipsburg, served his country on the grand jury last week.

Rev. J. Ellis Bell, Presiding Elder of the Altoona district of the Methodist Episcopal church, was an arrival in Bellefonte Tuesday afternoon.

John A. Daley, of Romola, was a pleasant caller at the Republican office while in Bellefonte. Mr. Daley was serving his country as a juryman last week.

Homer P. Barnes and his brother, Chester Barnes, were in Philadelphia last week, where the latter had his eyes operated on at the Will's Eye Hospital.

Miss Mabel Moore, of Philipsburg, who has been visiting Bellefonte friends, left Monday morning for Tyrone where she will visit Miss Edna Woomer of that city and later return home.

Mr. Edgar Burnside departed on Monday for New York where he will spend a week taking in the sights of the metropolis after which he will go to Chicago to continue his work in the Scale business.

Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Hiller who left Bellefonte on Wednesday for Philadelphia will shortly sail from New York for Cuba where they will spend the winter season.

Miss Josie Williard, who was formerly stenographer in the Potter-Hoy Hardware company's office at this place, has gone to Altoona, where she has accepted a position as stenographer in Gable & Co's big department store.

Mr. DeGraff, superintendent of Sunday School Mission work in the Rocky Mountain district, delivered two excellent talks in Bellefonte Sunday. In the morning he spoke in the Presbyterian church and in the evening in the Methodist church. He also took part in the Christian Endeavor meeting in the Presbyterian Chapel at 6:30 p. m.

Rev. George Israel Brown, Col. W. F. Reynolds, Dr. George F. Harris, of Bellefonte, and Prof. G. G. Pond, of State College, have returned home from the Episcopal convention at Lancaster which formed a new diocese and elected a bishop. Dr. Harris had the honor of being one of two in attendance at this convention, who attended the convention held in Harrisburg thirty-three years ago that formed the old diocese.

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John A. Way of Stormstown made a business trip to Bellefonte Wednesday.

President George W. Atherton, of State College, was a Bellefonte visitor between trains Wednesday.

Mr. Walizer, a highly respected citizen and contractor of Howard was a pleasant caller at this office Friday.

W. Homer Crissman departed Tuesday morning on a business trip to Philadelphia, while Mrs. Crissman and son, Luther are visiting friends in Sunbury.

Edward Valentine, son of the late Bond Valentine, who is in business in Atlantic City, is visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. R. V. Pugh on West Curtin street.

William Johnson, of Kerrmoor, Clearfield county, visited Bellefonte friends Tuesday and Wednesday while on his way to Stormstown where he will also be the guest of friends for a few days. He has traveled extensively through the west and now makes his home with Farmers Institute Lecturer, David Watt.

RUNKLE GAINS ON YOUNG.

Only 181 Votes Separate Runkle from Leader in Popular Employee Contest.

In the Republican-News Popular Employee contest Runkle made a big gain on the leader, C. D. Young, this week. Only 181 votes are between Runkle and the top. Only three weeks more until the contest closes and things will be warm from now on. Send in your subscriptions and job work and vote for your favorite.

The vote this week is as follows:

BELLEFONTE.	
C. D. Young, Sechler & Co	24445
M. J. Runkle, clerk for C. M. Parrish	24265
W. H. Crissman, Bellefonte Central	2892
Helen A. Williams McCalmont's	1052
Fannie Knisely, Bell Telephone Co	807
Homer Barnes, (Spigelmyer's Store)	28
Geo. J. Wagner, F. C. Richards Sons'	113
D. J. Kelly, American Lime Co	55
C. R. Clevenstine, Harper Bros	43
Marie White, (J. A. Miller's office)	14
S. A. Donachy, Penn Match Co	6
Miss Eva Showers, Bushs' Store	1
UNIONVILLE.	
Geo. W. Rumberger, clerk for Griest	21
SCOTIA.	
John Stine, U. S. Steel Co	79
W. E. Hartsock, U. S. Steel Co	70
PLEASANT GAP.	
H. Knoffsinger, lumberman	578
SNOW SHOE.	
John D. Brown Lehigh Coal Co	2

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Death of Frank Bechdel.

Many years ago Frank Bechdel moved from Howard township to Minnesota where he lived until about a year ago when he returned and took up his abode in Howard, preferring to spend the last days of his life on his native heath. Sunday Nov. 27th. Mr. Bechdel died very suddenly of heart failure. He was aged 65 years and is survived by seven daughters, who live in Minnesota. One sister, Mrs. Levi Rupert, of Howard township, also survives. The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, services being held in the Disciple church, Blanchard, conducted by Rev. E. O. Irvin, of Lock Haven, assisted by Rev. M. C. Frick. Interment was made in the Disciple graveyard.